

## INTERNMENT OF WILHELM WILL SATISFY THE ALLIES

### FEW BIDS FOR U. S. VESSELS THIS MORNING

#### Shipping Boards Went Ahead with Plan to Sell Them.

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Washington, Feb. 16.—Despite protests voiced in the senate and elsewhere and court proceedings designed to stay the shipping board today received bids for the 30 former German liners.

When the ships first were offered by groups in the services in which the board had planned originally to operate them, no bids were received but spirited bidding developed later for individual vessels or selected groups to run in specified services.

While the bidding was in progress these developments came:

Associate Justice Bailey, of the district supreme court, took under advice the application of William Randolph Hearst of New York for an injunction to stop the sale of the vessels. He will give a decision Friday.

White House officials announced that President Wilson would inform the senate that there was "no basis" for reports that there was an agreement between the shipping board and British interests for the sale of the vessels. Information as to this report is asked in a resolution by Senator Brandegee, republican, Connecticut.

Chairman Jones of the senate commerce committee, blocked immediate consideration of a resolution by Senator Ashurst, democrat, Arizona asking the board to defer any sale "until action by congress."

The senate again debated the sale, with Senators Ashurst and McKellar, democrat, Tennessee, opposing it.

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Washington, Feb. 16.—President Wilson will inform the senate emphatically that there is "no basis" for the report of a secret agreement between the Shipping Board and the British interests for the sale of the 30 former German passenger liners, it was announced today at the White House.

The president's message will be in reply to the resolution of Senator Brandegee, republican, Connecticut, asking for information regarding the report. The resolution was adopted by the senate last Saturday.

Just before the White House announcement was made the public auction at which bids for the ships were received began at the Shipping Board with representatives of more than a score of shipping companies present.

Chairman Payne was unable to conduct the auction, as he had been summoned to appear in person in the district supreme court in proceedings brought by William Randolph Hearst of New York, for an injunction to stop the sale. Commissioner Thomas A. Scott acted for him.

In opening the auction, Mr. Scott read a memorandum from Chairman Payne, which said the highest bids would have to be approved by the senate commerce committee and the house merchant marine committee and that acceptance of any bids would depend upon the outcome of the injunction proceedings in the district court.

The memorandum said these proceedings were expected to be concluded within two or three days.

**Must Fly American Flag.**  
Commissioner Scott said the terms of the sale would be arranged to suit the convenience of the board and the prospective purchasers and that all ships sold must be operated under the American flag.

Among the shipping men present were P. A. S. Franklin, of the International Mercantile Marine; George V. Goethals, the American Ship Commerce Company; A. V. Moore, of the Moore & McCormack company; and Philip Peronde of the Oriental.

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**Warren Leake Was Taken Ill Saturday**  
Warren Leake, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis Leake of this city, was taken suddenly ill at his home at Temperance Hill Saturday evening a few minutes after leaving the supper table and was in a semi-conscious state for several hours, the exact nature of his illness having not yet been determined. His wife was the first to observe his condition Saturday evening, shortly after he had arisen from the supper table. In a very few minutes he was almost helpless and lost the power of speech.

An Amboy physician was summoned and last evening a Dixon doctor was called in consultation. Reports this morning were to the effect that his condition was much improved following a good night's rest, and he is rapidly recovering.

### SAYS PREMIERS HAVE REJECTED WILSON'S PLAN

#### Paris Paper Says His Objections Met No Response.

**BULLETIN.**  
By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Washington, Feb. 16.—President Wilson, it was learned today at the White House, did not say in his note to the entente premiers regarding the Fiume question that the United States would no longer be able to concern itself in European affairs if a Fiume settlement were made without consulting America.

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Paris, Feb. 16.—Prompt rejection of President Wilson's objections to the compromise agreement by which England, France and Italy hoped to settle with Jugo-Slavia questions relative to the future status of the eastern coast of the Adriatic is reported in the Echo de Paris. Premiers Lloyd George of Great Britain and Millerand of France drafted the reply to the American chief executive and insisted Jugo-Slavia must agree to the compromise with the alternative of seeing the treaty of London become operative, it is said.

A the same time the premier's reply was sent to Washington, the foreign minister of Jugo-Slavia was notified the viewpoint of the British and French governments had not been altered by the seemingly unexpected action of Mr. Wilson.

Contents of the Wilson note have not been made public here. He is said, however, to have given intimation the United States would "find it impossible to continue to concern itself in European affairs" if the allies proceeded to settlement of the Adriatic problem without consulting the United States. It is said the president entered serious objections to the ultimatum sent to the Belgrade government on Jan. 20, and declared it differed from the program framed by Premiers Lloyd George and Clemenceau with the assistance of an American representative last December.

While not connected with the situation resulting from the Wilson note, a cabinet crisis has arisen at Belgrade. The ministry led by Premier Davidovitch resigned yesterday, announcement stating this step was the sequel of the refusal of Prince Regent Alexander to dissolve the present provisional parliament and call for the election of a constituent assembly. It is probable this situation will still further delay settlement of the Adriatic problem.

**WASHINGTON STATEMENT.**  
By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—Beyond the general statement that the United States adhered to the original proposition of the supreme council in Paris allotting Fiume and the coast of Dalmatia to Jugo-Slavia and Trieste and the adjacent country to Italy, there never has been any official statement of the American position regarding the Adriatic issues.

Since that original position was assumed a number of notes have been exchanged between the state department and the entente premiers and there have been several conferences in Washington between Former Secretary Lansing and the resident ambassadors and ministers of Italy and Jugo Slavia.

**"Too Sweeping."**  
Officials said the interpretation of the president's note by the Paris press was "too sweeping." They said the United States would not withdraw from participation in the peace treaty and the League of Nations, if the treaty were ratified by the senate, but that it would withdraw from any participation in the Fiume settlement, including the policing of the Adriatic.

The president's position regarding Fiume and the whole Adriatic situation was said to be unchanged. This position, however, never has been officially outlined and officials declined today to define it.

No reply to the president's note has been made, it was said, at the state department. Dispatches from abroad said the reply had been dispatched and that in it the premiers adhered to their ultimatum to Jugo-Slavia that it must accept the compromise on the Fiume question or suffer the carrying out of the terms of the original treaty of London.

**WEATHER.**

**MONDAY, FEB. 16, 1920.**  
By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Chicago and Vicinity—

Generally fair and warmer tonight and Tuesday, lowest temperature early tonight about 12; fresh south-west winds.

**Illinois, Missouri, Iowa, Nebraska and Kansas.**  
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**LOCAL TEMPERATURE.**

During the 24 hours ending Sunday morning the mercury reached a low mark of 11 degrees below zero, the highest during that period being 7 above. For the 24 hours ending this morning the range was from 3 degrees above to 6 degrees below.

### RAILROAD MEN NOT TO STRIKE TUESDAY

#### Request From Wilson Re- sults in Retraction of Strike Order.

**BULLETIN.**  
By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Detroit, Mich., Feb. 16.—The proposed strike of the more than 300,000 members of the United Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way employees and Railway Shop Laborers, has not been cancelled, but has been merely postponed, Allen L. Barker, president of the Brotherhood, announced today. Unless speedy relief is given the workers, he said, the strike certainly will take place.

Mr. Barker said the board of directors and vice presidents of the Brotherhood have been called here to meet Thursday to consider the strike situation.

The strike of 300,000 members of the United Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way and Railway Shop Laborers, which had been called for tomorrow, will not materialize. Following an announcement Saturday afternoon by Allen E. Barker, head of the organization, that there was nothing in President Wilson's offer to the railroad men warranting any change in the strike order he withdrew. On receipt of that request Barker ordered the strike call rescinded. The president's telegram to Mr. Barker called attention to the decision reached by heads of other organizations of railroad men Saturday to defer strikes, and pointed out that the maintenance of way and shop men were the only ones who contemplated striking.

Union executives' letters to President Wilson Saturday urged the creation of a special tribunal to examine the entire railroad wage problem and to settle it.

They asked Wilson to obtain the assent of the railroad managers to this proceeding and that the special tribunal so created work on the basis of the following principles:

"Rates of pay for similar and analogous services in other industries.

"Pay to Meet Living Costs.

"Relation of rates of pay to increased cost of living.

"A basic minimum wage sufficient to maintain a railroad man's average family upon a standard of health and reasonable comfort.

"That differences above this basic living wage be established, giving among other things due regard to skill, responsibility assumed, and hazard incurred; decision of this tribunal to be handed down within 60 days after agreement to establish it, and to be final and binding upon all railroads in the United States and employees whom we represent."

This plan of the union case is an elaboration of the second of two proposals made to them by President Wilson in a written statement which was made public at the White House last today.

The president proposed two methods of settling the wage question. Under the first it would be dealt with by machinery which is expected to be set up by law providing for return of the roads to private control March 1. This plan was proposed first by the president. He promised to use all possible speed in organizing the machinery.

**Wilson Promises Special Tribunal.**

The president, however, declared that in case such machinery was not set up he would use his influence to get the railroad managers and employees to agree to a special tribunal.

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### 459 Other Cities In Dixon's Class

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Chicago, Feb. 16.—Street car fares in 460 cities throughout the country have been increased according to figures given out today by the Illinois committee of Public Utility Information, which attributed the advances directly to high material and labor costs. In fifty-nine cities 19 cent fares are being paid, the report said.

The committee asserted that in 1919 forty-eight companies, with a total of 3781 miles of track, went into the hands of receivers while during the past three years 98 companies represented the entire mileage of the country had become involved in bankruptcy courts.

### Sailor Stops Hole In Ship with Body

Plymouth, Eng.—When the trawler Clara ran on the rock at the harbor entrance in a fog the other day and stove a hole in her side one of the seamen stopped the great rent with his body and enabled the boat to keep afloat until help came, thereby saving the lives of his comrades. The sailor remained, waist deep in water, for four hours until the boat was towed into harbor.

**GETS INCOME TAX FORMS.**  
Internal Revenue Collector Seigel this morning received income tax forms 1040, 1040A and 1040F, the last being the farmers' form.

### CAMERA MAN SEES SOME ODD SIGHTS IN NEW YORK



Miss Alice R. Rozanska's home at Flushing, L. I., was practically isolated during the heavy snowstorm in New York. She, however, had learned skiing in Christiania, Norway, and his drifts didn't halt her daily outdoor routine. Upper, left picture shows her taking her little sister to school. Upper, right picture, shows a steam shovel at work at 12th street and Broadway, in New York City. This is the first time steam shovels have been used to remove snow from the city streets. Lower picture shows three ambitious Harlem youngsters, who saw the sporty side of the record snowfall. Their snowhouse on Madison ave. and 119th street gave all the delights of Esquimaux life without the disadvantages.

### SUPT. AMERICAN MINE IN MEXICO HELD FOR RANSOM

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Washington, Feb. 16.—Wilson Welch Adams, an American, has been captured by bandits in Zacatecas, Mexico, and is being held for 50,000 pesos ransom, the state department was advised today.

The American embassy at Mexico City has been instructed by the state department to bring the kidnapping to the attention of the Mexican authorities with the request that every step be taken to secure Adams' release.

The kidnapping occurred at Avalos last Friday and the bandits were reported to have looted the warehouse of the Providencia mine operated by the Minerales and Metales company, an American concern. Adams was superintendent of the mine.

### John W. Wohnke is Called on Saturday

Word was received here yesterday of the death of John W. Wohnke, a former resident of this city and son of the late ex-sheriff Charles Wohnke. He passed away at his home in Chicago at the age of 37 years, death resulting from an illness of several days. He leaves to mourn his loss, his mother, Mrs. Angelina M. Wohnke, 6552 Dorchester avenue, Chicago, and two brothers, George F. and Glenn R. The deceased left Dixon about 12 years ago and has since made his home in Chicago. Two nephews, Fred and Jacob Wohnke, of this city, also survive. The body will be taken to Franklin Grove to morrow where burial will take place.

### Bloomington Ball Player Gets Coin

Bloomington, Ill., Feb. 16.—The signed contracts of Pitcher Matt Zeller and Outfielder Heinie Jantzen, two members of Bloomington's championship club in 1919, were received by President C. P. Goelzer of the Bloomington Fans' Association. They are the first veterans to accept terms for next season.

Second Baseman Gus Kellerman of the club was left \$18,000 by the death of a relative last week, officials of the club learned today. Kellerman resides in Cincinnati, Ohio.

### Harold E. Mackh Home is Saddened

Wilhelmina Mackh, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Mackh, passed away at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Seyfarth, 203 East Fellow street Saturday at about 12.30. Death was due to bronchial pneumonia. Funeral services, which were private, were conducted yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, burial taking place in Oakwood cemetery.



### ONLY HUNDRED NAMES NEEDED MICH. PETITION

#### Large Field Presidential Candidates is Expected.

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Detroit, Mich., Feb. 16.—How many potential presidential nominees will seek endorsement of Michigan's delegation to national convention remains matter of speculation. The complete list will not be known until noon March 1, when the time for filing nominating petitions expires, although the preference primary does not take place until April 5.

Party managers are making every effort to get the greatest number of candidates on the primary ballot, holding that a true expression of Michigan's sentiment cannot be obtained unless a large field is placed before the voters for choice.

Foremost among the republicans who will be on the primary ballot are Major General Leonard Wood and Governor Frank O. Lowden, of Illinois, who already have appeared several times in the state. Senator Hiram Johnson, of California, also has indicated his intention of filing nominating petitions. In the absence of a definite pronouncement from President Wilson on the third term subject the democrats have been marking time.

Although Herbert Hoover has announced he does not seek presidential honors, incomplete petitions in his behalf already have been filed at the secretary of state's office. It is generally expected Hoover's name will appear on both republican and democratic ballots, the state's legal department having ruled that the amendment to the primary law passed by the last legislature does not apply to the presidential preference primary.

As only 100 signatures are required to nominating petitions to a place on the primary ballot, it is expected a number of petitions will be held up until the last minute.

**TO NEPHEW'S FUNERAL.**  
Ira Cheney is here from Detroit to attend the funeral of his little nephew, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bush. He will return to Detroit tomorrow.

### INTERNATIONAL OPERATION OF DARDANELLES

#### "Unspeakable Turk" to Control Crescent City, However.

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
London, Feb. 16.—In connection with another meeting held by the Supreme council of the allies today to take up the Turkish question it was reiterated in conference circles that it had been decided to permit the Sultan to remain at Constantinople as the Turkish sovereign but that the Dardanelles would be placed under international control.

The boundaries of Turkey in Europe were debated by the council today. The council members are known to be considerably exercised over the publication of alleged reports of its decisions, principally in French newspapers, and are prepared to have Lord Robert Cecil ask in the house of commons who is responsible. An individual authorized to speak for the council said today that the "leaks" on President Wilson's Adriatic note, the fate of Constantinople and the alleged contents of the note to Germany were contrary to an agreement for secrecy made by the council.

Publication of the fact that President Wilson had sent a new note on the Adriatic question was an unpleasant surprise in official quarters here. M. Trumbitch, the Jugo-Slav foreign minister, conferred with Ambassador Davis on this subject. The ambassador declined later to affirm or deny that a report had been handed him to be forwarded to Washington.

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
London, Feb. 16.—Reports printed in Paris to the effect the supreme council decided on Saturday that the Sultan and the Turkish government would remain in Constantinople but under stringent international control of the Dardanelles, coincides with information gathered here, this however, is unofficial and has not been confirmed.

The Daily Mail remarks it is not clear if any decision has been made regarding the Bosphorus and believes the difficulty of forcibly ejecting the Turks from Constantinople has delayed the decision considerably. While accepting the news at its face value the Times says editorially: "This change of attitude on the part of the allies will require most careful investigation. It is contrary to the declared policy of the British government and to views held until recently by the cabinet and premier."

### Something Else is Laid to Prohibition

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Galveston, Texas.—Prohibition has so decreased the number of paupers throughout the United States that the country's medical colleges are facing a shortage of bodies for laboratory instruction work, according to Dr. William Keiller, professor of anatomy of the University of Texas.

"There are fewer sick men than in the bygone 'wet' days, as sober men have sense enough to protect themselves in bad weather," Dr. Keiller said. "Absence of intoxicants and not high wages, is responsible for the scarcity of paupers, as many men would spend most of their earnings for liquor no matter how much they made," he added.

People who formerly patronized the charity wards of the large hospitals and clinics, now frequently drive up to the front door of the best institutions in their own automobiles, the professor said.

### Old Men Becoming Imbued with Ideas of Young in Cincy.

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Cincinnati, O.—The Cincinnati infirmaries bids fair to become a melting pot, for the old men are becoming imbued with "young ideas" and are stepping forth into well paid jobs. "The industrial world and old men have awakened to the truth that they can and should combine successfully to the well-being of both," one large employer said. "It is a new idea and it is working out."

Many of the women of the infirmaries likewise have departed and found employment. In all, the infirmaries has lost more than 200 men and women in the past few months.

### Seven Threw Selves Under Train; Killed

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Laredo, Texas.—Seven desperate criminals, prisoners of the Mexican federal authorities, en route from Mexico City to Islas Marias for imprisonment, threw themselves under the train between the capital and Manzanillo and were ground to death, according to the Mexican City newspaper Excelsior. Two other prisoners escaped.

Mrs. Sam Huggins has returned home from Florida where she spent several weeks visiting at different points.

### DEMAND FOR EXTRADITION IS REVERSED

#### Holland Ready to Assume Responsibility A. P. Learns.

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
The Hague, Feb. 16.—The latest allied note to Holland with regard to extradition of the former German emperor reverses the original demand for his surrender and only asks his internment, with the suggestion that the former monarch be sent, perhaps, to one of the Dutch islands in the East Indies, it became known today.

The Associated Press learns on excellent authority that the Dutch government already has determined to reply with an offer actually to intern Wilhelm at Doorn. Holland would accept the full responsibility of preventing him from endangering the peace of the world, establishing a guard over him and a strict censorship.

**Friendly to Allies.**  
Holland, it is pointed out in diplomatic quarters, is anxious to meet any request of the allies which is compatible with her own dignity and does not conflict with the nation's laws and traditions of long standing. More than anything else, as far as can be learned she desires to bring to a close the issue of the presence of the former emperor, which has been a thorn in her side since the Hohenzollerns sought refuge here in 1918.

That the ex-ruler is undoubtedly willing to spend the rest of his life in Doorn is the belief in official circles, where it also is believed that the allies will accept the proposal to place upon Holland's shoulders the responsibility for keeping him there. They point to Doorn as being a particularly advantageous place to intern him as the village is not near any large city and the house which the ex-emperor has bought is so placed as to be easily guarded and it is somewhat further from the frontier than Amerongen where the former emperor now is living.

**Delivered To Premier.**  
The note was delivered late last night direct to the Dutch premier by the minister at The Hague. The note had not reached the Dutch foreign office this morning nor was there any explanation forthcoming as to why it had been delivered to the premier instead of through the regular diplomatic channels.

Up to noon today no part of the text of the document had been made public here.

### Farm Residence is Damaged By Flames

The farm residence of D. G. Palmer north of town near the state hospital grounds, was threatened with destruction by fire shortly after the noon hour yesterday.

Neighbors, who hurried to the scene, and braved the cold wind, which fanned the blaze, preventing the property from being consumed.

Two telephone calls were received at the city hall fire station for assistance. On the receipt of the second call, Chief Van Ribber and Officer Saegren of the police department, took some of the chemicals and went to the scene with the patrol auto. Upon their arrival, the fire was under control, several chemicals having been secured from the state hospital, which proved very effective in getting the blaze under control.

The fire is thought to have started from a spark from the chimney, which fell on the roof and fanned by the high wind, soon burned through the shingles. Articles stored in the attic were burning when the fire was discovered.

### Baby is Taken From Bush Home

Robert Adell Bush, 16 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Bush, died at the family residence, 805 Palmyra avenue, at midnight on Saturday night. Death resulted from pneumonia with which the child had been ailing for about eight days. He is survived by his parents and two brothers at home. The funeral, which was private, was conducted from the family residence this afternoon at 3 o'clock, burial taking place in Oakwood.

### McGraw Offers to Trade "Heine Zim"

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Cincinnati, Feb. 16.—President August Herrmann of the Cincinnati world champions, today received an offer from the New York National League Club of Heine Zimmermann and another player, not named, for Walter Ruethe, southpaw pitcher.

## Today's Market Report

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)

### DAY'S RANGE ON CHICAGO BOARD

	Open	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
CORN—Feb.	1.32 1/2	1.35 1/2	1.32 1/2	1.35 1/2	1.33 1/2
May	1.29 1/2	1.32 1/2	1.29 1/2	1.32 1/2	1.30 1/2
July	1.27	1.29 1/2	1.27	1.29 1/2	1.27 1/2
OATS—May	80 1/2	82 1/2	80 1/2	82 1/2	80 1/2
July	72 1/2	74 1/2	72 1/2	74 1/2	72 1/2
PORK—May	35.00	35.85	35.00	35.82	35.00
July	34.90	35.60	34.90	35.60	34.65
LARD—May	21.55	22.00	21.50	21.82	21.42
July	22.02	22.40	21.97	22.32	21.90
RISES—May	18.50	18.97	18.50	18.97	18.42
July	19.40	19.10	19.40	18.95	

### Corn Closes Strong Following Pressure

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Chicago, Feb. 16.—Decided upward swings took place in the corn market today, although at first values showed considerable weakness. Initial declines were the result of speculative selling. The fact, however, that receipts here had no indication of any increased selling on the part of the rural holders led to a sharp rally with commission houses buying freely. Opening quotations, which ranged from 1c decline to 1 1/2c advance, with May 1.32 1/2 to 1.33 and July 1.29 1/2 to 1.29 1/2, were followed by material gains all around.

Oats reflected action of corn. After opening unchanged to 1/4c lower, including May at 80 1/2, the market then rose to well above Saturday's finish. Strength in the hog market gave firmness to provisions. Later the advance of grain was also a bullish factor.

Commission houses turned to the selling side after the advance. There was a consequent reaction but the effect failed to last. Prices closed strong 1 1/2c to 2 1/2c not higher with May 1.35 1/2 to 1.35 1/2 and July 1.32 1/2 to 1.32 1/2.

### Chicago Livestock.

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Chicago, Feb. 16.—Hogs receipts 48,000; opening strong but weakening; bulk 14.40@15.25; top 15.50; heavy 14.25@14.85; medium 14.60@15.25; light 14.85@15.50; light light 14.50@15.25; heavy packing sows smooth 12.40@13.85; packing sows rough 12.00@13.40; pigs 12.50@14.75. Cattle receipts 14,000; firm. Beef steers medium and heavyweight choice and prime 14.75@14.85; medium and good 11.50@14.75; common choice 12.50@16.00; common and medium 8.75@12.50. Butcher cattle half 9.25@11.50; light weight good and 8.00@13.00; cows 6.40@11.75. Calves and cutters 5.00@6.40. Veal calves 15.75@17.25. Feeder steers 7.50@11.50. Stocker steers 6.75@10.25. Sheep—Receipts 26,000; slow. Lambs 54 pounds down 18.00@21.00; culls and common 14.50@17.75; ewes, medium, good and choice 11.00@13.75. Culls and common 6.00@19.50.

### Chicago Cash Grain.

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Chicago, Feb. 16.—Butter steady; creamery 50@62. Eggs lower; receipts 9088 cases; firsts 51 1/2@52; ordinary firsts 44@49; at mark cases included 49@51. Poultry alive higher; springs 30; fowls 35. Potatoes arrivals 50 cars; good demand; but zero weather and practically no trading.

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### Kansas City Grain.

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Kansas City, Feb. 16.—Cash wheat steady; No. 1 hard 2.52@2.63; No. 2 2.48@2.55; No. 1 red 2.55@2.57; No. 2 2.48@2.50. Corn steady; No. 2 mixed 1.45@1.47; No. 2 white 1.48 1/2@1.49; No. 2 yellow 1.50@1.52. Oats unchanged; No. 2 white 93; No. 2 mixed 87@90. Rye 1.44@1.45. Kaffir and Milo maize 2.10@2.20. Hay, some alfalfa lower; choice timothy 50.50@50.50; choice prairie 23.90@24.00; choice alfalfa 36.50@37.00. Receipts wheat 193 cars.

### PEORIA GRAIN

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Peoria, Ill., Feb. 16.—Corn 1 to 3c higher; No. 4 yellow 1.41@1.42; No. 5 yellow 1.39@1.40; No. 4 mixed 1.40@1.41; No. 5 mixed 1.36@1.41. Oats 1/2c higher; No. 2 white 84.

### Toledo Grain.

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Toledo, Feb. 16.—Clover seed prime cash 35.00; Feb. 35.00; March 34.45; April 33.95; October 26.60. Alsike prime cash 34.70; March 34.70. Timothy, prime cash 19.17; 6.65; 19.18; 6.65; 19.19; 6.90; March 6.95; April 6.90; May 6.85.

### Minneapolis Grain.

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 16.—Wheat receipts 229 cars. Cash No. 1 northern 2.50@2.55. Corn No. 3 yellow 1.42@1.43. Oats No. 3 white 84@85. Flax 5.20@5.25. Flour unchanged.

### New York Liberty Bonds.

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
New York, Feb. 16.—Prices of Lib-

### PERSONALS.

Miss Olga Jensen is in Chicago today.

A. B. Whitcombe went to DeKalb this morning to spend the day on business.

B. F. Downing went to Chicago this morning to spend the day on business.

W. W. Gilbert is spending today in DeKalb in business.

Lloyd Hubbard went to Chicago this morning to spend the day on business.

O. H. Martin went to Chicago this morning to spend a few days transacting business.

John Florschuetz returned Friday from a visit in Scarborough at the home of his son, Frank Florschuetz.

Miss Marie Lally and Miss Nattress, of Anboy were in Dixon Saturday attending the Teacher's Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kregger were here today from the Kingdom.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Lepley, of the Kingdom, were Dixon visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Russell, of Franklin Grove, who has been critically ill of pneumonia, is reported somewhat better.

Miss Mary Doyle, of the Lincoln Hospital, Rochelle, was in Dixon today.

Demonstration all week. Lee County Electric Co., 121 Galena ave. 3913

### IN MINNERY SHOP.

Miss Hazel Junk is assisting in the Miss M. M. Winter millinery.

RETURNED TO INDIANA—Charles Kroh, of Syracuse, Ind., returned to his home today after a visit of several days here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Slaughter.

AT A. R. SCHMERDA HOME—Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Schmerda entertained as their house guests Saturday night and Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Swartley, of Sterling.

### Wreck on Central Delayed Passenger

The south bound Illinois Central passenger train and all other traffic on that line, was delayed fully four hours this morning by the derailment of a freight train at Baileyville, near Freeport. The passenger train did not arrive in Dixon until about 11:30. Yesterday morning a freight train as derailed near Rutland on the Illinois Central by a broken rail, resulting in the delay of several trains. The wreckage was cleared up late in the afternoon and traffic resumed.

### EPISCOPAL CHURCH NEWS.

The Boys' club of the Episcopal church will meet at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow evening in the church basement, and Capt. E. J. Decker will be present to drill the boys and give them instruction. On Ash Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock there will be celebration of the Holy Communion and sermon and at 7:30 p. m. there will be devotional services and Bible class. Thursday at 10 a. m. there will be celebration of the Holy Communion, and the choir will meet with Director John Norton at 4:15 and 7:30 p. m. Friday afternoon at 2:30, St. Ann's Guild will meet at 7:30, there will be Litany and Confirmation of class. Next Sunday's services will be: 8 a. m., Celebration of the Holy Communion; 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 10:45 a. m., Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon. On March 5, Rev. Fred Budlong, rector of St. Peter's church, Chicago, will preach and on March 18 Rev. Babin will go to St. Paul's church at Kenwood to preach.

### RETURNED TO WORK.

C. H. Meyers has returned to his work after a three weeks' convalescence from a slight operation.

### MRS. MORRIS WAS ILL.

Mrs. Arthur Morris of Natchua township is recovering from a week's illness.

## ALMOST IMPOSSIBLE TO SUPPLY ENORMOUS DEMAND FOR TANLAC

Although Huge Laboratories Turn Out 36,000 Bottles Daily Thousands of Dealers Cannot Be Supplied.

### 40 CARLOADS SOLD IN JANUARY ALONE

After Shipping 838,400 Bottles of Celebrated Medicine in One Month Factory Is Still 380,000 Behind With Orders.

Although the big Tanlac laboratories at Dayton, Ohio, and Walkerville, Canada, have been running at top speed for months, it has been a physical impossibility to supply the phenomenal and every increasing demand for this celebrated medicine.

During the first ten weeks of last year One Million Three Hundred and twenty-seven thousand bottles of Tanlac were sold, breaking all World's record for the sale of proprietary medicines up to that time. This record now pales into insignificance, however, as orders received during January alone of this year reached the astonishing total of One Million Two Hundred and Twenty Thousand bottles, showing an increase of approximately one hundred per cent. over the corresponding period of 1919.

To say that Tanlac now has the largest sale of any medicine of its kind in the world expresses it mildly. It does not begin to tell the story—for no other preparation has ever even approached the marvelous record that is now being made by Tanlac; and it is now conservatively estimated that the sales for the present year alone will amount to from seven to ten million bottles.

Of the orders received during January it was possible to ship only eight hundred and thirty-eight thousand bottles, and thousands of dealers scattered throughout the United States and Canada have been unable to obtain the medicine for weeks.

"Phenomenal and Bewildering" is the way one of the big drug jobbers of the country describes the marvelous demand for Tanlac.

"We know that the day of miracles has passed, and we all know that there are no unfathomable mysteries in the drug business, but this Tanlac proposition smacks of both" writes another leading wholesale druggist, whose firm has sold over 34 car loads, or an average of nearly one car load per month since they began handling Tanlac a few years ago. Thousands of similar letters and telegrams have been received, but for lack of space they can only be referred to briefly.

Most proprietary medicines are sold by the dozen or by the gross; a few are brought by the trade in quantities of from ten to twenty gross; a very few are sold by the car load, and then only to the largest jobbers, covering extensive territories. The fact therefore that scores of jobbers in this country and Canada have a demand sufficient to justify them in ordering

### RAILROAD MEN NOT TO STRIKE TUESDAY

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playes together in a special tribunal to take up and settle all wage questions quickly.

"In this connection," he replied the union chiefs, "we have been pressing the necessity for immediate relief and urge that you do not require us to await the creation of a tribunal by legislation to deal with this problem."

"We feel justified in saying that we do not believe that railroad employees will be willing to accept any plan which contemplates delay."

Call Congress for Workers. Then followed the proposal for a special tribunal and the statement that a congress of union men had been called.

"Pending this action on our part," concluded the union chief's letter, "we respectfully request that you take necessary steps to place this proposal before the railroad companies and secure their agreement thereto, so that when our representatives convene on February 23, we will be able to place before them a definite basis for final action."

The president assured the union chiefs that he will at once constitute

a commission of experts to examine all data on wages now in possession of the government. This commission will take up the demands of the unions laid before railroad administration wage board in August, and the finding of other government agencies that have examined wages and working conditions during the past few years.

### CALLS CONFERENCE.

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—Director General Hines today telegraphed Dewitt Cuyler of New York, chairman of the Association of Railroad Executives, asking him to designate a committee to meet here for conference with railroad administration officials on "railroad wage questions and related subjects." The request was understood to have been made at the suggestion of President Wilson.

### IS SHOWING IMPROVEMENT.

Dewey Breisch, who has been critically ill at his home south of town of pneumonia, is now showing some improvement each day.

Mrs. P. H. Gatz and daughter, of Polo, were in Dixon Saturday. While here they called on Mr. Naylor of the O. H. Martin Co. store, Mrs. Gatz's brother.

Our big shipment of Tanlac arrived today. Public Drug & Book Co. 3913

### FEW BIDS FOR U. S. SHIPS TODAY

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Navigation company. The first vessels offered were the Black Arrow, the Amphion and the Philippines, composing the group of the Black Sea Service. No bids were offered for them.

The group composing the South American service, the Aeolus, De Kalb, Princess Matoika and Pocahontas, was then offered.

No Bids on Big Ships. No bids were received for these vessels nor for the Colombia, Venezuela and Brazilian service ships, the Mocassin and the Otsego; the Southampton service, the Leviathan, Mount Vernon, Agammemnon and Nansemond; the Hamburg service ships, the George Washington, Martha Washington, Von Steuben and America; the Mediterranean service vessels, the Antigone, Susquehanna, President Grant and Artemis, and the Baltic service ships, the Matewaska and Powhattan.

One bid for one of the Black Sea fleet was received. It was \$700,000 for the Black Arrow and was made by the Oriental Navigation Company with the understanding that the vessel would be retained in the Black Sea service.

Commissioner Scott stated that the

board insists upon assurances the vessels would remain permanently in the service planned by the board, but he admitted that the board could not put permanent restrictions upon the use of the craft.

One Conditional Bid. P. A. S. Franklin, president of the International Mercantile Marine, offered a conditional bid of \$14,050,000 for nine vessels for service to the United Kingdom and northern European ports.

The vessels covered by the bid were the Leviathan, George Washington, America, President Grant, Nansemond, Antigone, Pocahontas, Princess Matoika and Callao. The offer was conditional upon an agreement by the Shipping Board not to enter into competition with these vessels in this service.

Moore & McCormack company offered \$4,500,000 for five vessels, for the South American service and the Munson Steamship Line a conditional bid approximating \$3,888,250 for the same vessels, the Martha Washington, Aeolus, Huron, Princess Matoika and the Pocahontas.

George W. Goethals, American Ship and Commerce Corporation, offered \$10,000,000 for six vessels for the Hamburg and Bremen service, the bid being quickly raised to \$10,500,000 by President Franklin of the International Mercantile Marine. The vessels are the George Washington, America, President Grant, Nansemond and Callao.

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# Society

**Monday**  
Golden Rule Circle Meeting and Supper—Grace Evangelical Church, Chapter A. C. Illinois P. E. O.—Mrs. L. R. Trowbridge.  
O. E. S. Parlor Club—Masonic Hall, G. A. R. Circle—G. A. R. Hall.

**Wednesday**  
Prairieville Social Circle—Mrs. F. Brauer, 223 Chamberlain St., Dixon. Section 4, M. E. Aid—Mrs. L. B. Neighbour, 1503 Third St.

**SUBLETTE COUPLE WED—**  
Two prominent young folks from Sublette township were united in marriage on Wednesday, Feb. 4, at Princeton. They were Mr. Chester Rapp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Rapp, and Miss Myrtle Hoffman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Hoffman. The ceremony was performed at the parsonage of the Congregational church at Princeton, the Rev. Frank Lee officiating. The bride and groom were unattended and left the same day on a wedding trip to the Gulf Coast, expecting to return about March 1st, when they will be at home to their friends at the groom's farm three miles south of Sublette.

The bride is a charming and accomplished young lady. She comes from an excellent family, having received a training which fits her admirably for the duties of housekeeper and homemaker. The groom is a thrifty farmer, ambitious, and the newly weds start out in life under the most pleasant circumstances.

## FOR WEDDING ANNIVERSARY—

Dr. and Mrs. R. B. Saxmann entertained Friday evening in honor of their seventh wedding anniversary. The use of blooming cyclamen plants and St. Valentine Day decorations added to the charm of the interior. The exchange of Valentines and the enjoyment of music made the evening pass most pleasantly. Vocal selections were given by Miss Marjorie Wingert, Clinton Fahrney, and James Cledon and Mr. Fahrney also gave a number of piano selections. Many happy surprises had been prepared in the shape of handsome gifts for Dr. and Mrs. Saxmann and presented during the evening.

The guests included Rev. and Mrs. Ernest C. Lumsden, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Ahrens, Mr. and Mrs. F. X. Newcomer, Attorney and Mrs. E. E. Wingert, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Miller, Miss Marjorie Wingert, Miss Dorothy Armstrong, Miss Dolly Faith, Dr. Angstrom, Mr. Cledon, and Mr. Fahrney.

## BURKEY-SHOCK—

The marriage of Miss Mary Shock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Shock, of north of town, and Claude P. Burkey, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Burkey, also of Dixon, was solemnized on Saturday afternoon at the Methodist parsonage here by the Rev. Ernest C. Lumsden. The service was read at 4 o'clock. The bride's two brothers, William and Frank Shock, and the Misses Avis Martin and May Burkey, were the attendants. The groom and his two attendants all were in army service in the recent war and wore their uniforms for the ceremony. The bride is a most attractive young woman, Mr. Burkey follows the trade of blacksmith and he and his bride will make their home in Dixon. They have the best wishes of many friends.

## GUEST OF POLO CLUB—

Mrs. Kirby Reed was a guest today of the Twentieth Century Club at a 1 o'clock luncheon at the home of Miss Louise Thomas. As a part of the afternoon program Mrs. Reed read her paper on Bogota which she prepared for the Phidian Art club when it studied South America a year ago.

## GUESTS FROM WEEK-END—

Miss Amy Eddy and Miss Nellie Oederkirk, of Compton, and J. R. Shackleton, of Cornell, Ill., were guests over the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Lawson, guests of Miss Leah Lawson.

## BANQUET POSTPONED—

The banquet of the Sunshine Class of St. Paul's Lutheran church to have been held on the coming Thursday evening at the church, has been postponed because of the large amount of illness.

## SECTION 4, M. E. AID—

Section 4 of the Methodist Aid society will hold an afternoon meeting on Wednesday with Mrs. L. B. Neighbour, 1503 Third street. All members are urged to come early, prepared to sew.

## AT ROLLAND GREIG HOME—

Mrs. O. H. Rahn, of Chadwick, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Greig. Mrs. Rahn is a sister of Mrs. Greig.

## GUEST FROM KEWANEE—

Miss Alma Crolsling, of Kewanee, was a week-end guest of Miss Bernice Powell, of Central Place.

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**FROM CALIFORNIA—**  
Mr. and Mrs. Percy Leland, of Modesto, Cal., came Saturday for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Leland. Mr. Leland continued on his way this morning on a business trip into Ohio and will return later to complete his visit. Later Mr. and Mrs. Leland will leave for Arizona where they will visit the Grand Canyon and other points of interest before returning to California.

**GIVEN SURPRISE PARTY—**  
The birthday of W. F. Heberg was made the happy occasion on Saturday of a surprise party, arranged by his wife and daughters. Twenty-five guests made the evening a pleasant one for their host. Progressive Five Hundred was played during the evening and a dainty luncheon was served. Valentine decorations were used about the house. Mr. Heberg was remembered with many attractive gifts.

## VALENTINE SUPPER—

The World Wide Guild of the Baptist church held a very delightful Valentine social, with a scramble supper as one of its enjoyable features, at the church Saturday evening. The table decorations, which accorded with the season, were most attractive. After the supper hour, games were played.

## VISITED IN PENN.—

Mrs. W. H. Ruppert has just returned from an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Fotheringill, of Reading, Pa., and with other relatives and friends there. Mrs. Ruppert did not learn, until upon her way home, of the death of her little grandson, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ruppert.

## FOR BRIDE-TO-BE—

Mrs. Louis Pitcher entertained a number of young ladies at Sunday evening dinner in honor of Miss Margaret Reilly whose marriage to Edward M. Smith of Rockford will be celebrated tomorrow. The guests included Miss Ethel Gorham, Miss Lucille Jones and Miss Catherine Fane.

## WITH DIXON RELATIVES—

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gonnerman and son, of Dysart, Ia., were guests Friday and Saturday of Mrs. George Carbaugh. They also visited other relatives, including Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mall and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Gaggerter.

## AT DEKALB BANQUET—

Miss Charlotte Campbell returned last evening from DeKalb where she attended a banquet of the Normal College Treble Cleft society of which she was a member when attending the school a year ago.

## SPENT SUNDAY HERE—

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Robinson, of Shannon, Ill., were guests on Sunday of Mrs. Robinson's mother and sister, Mrs. Fred Schmidt and Miss Pearl Schmidt.

## HERE SUNDAY—

Carl Degenhardt, of Chicago, spent Sunday here with his wife, who is here on a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Rice, of the Nachusa Tavern.

## AT DR. LEHMAN HOME—

Mrs. U. S. Shearer, of Steward, is here to visit her husband who has been ill at the home of Dr. and Mrs. S. W. Lehman.

## VISITED IN CHICAGO—

Miss Helen McKenney returned on Saturday from a several days' visit in Chicago.

## TO TEACH THIRD GRADE.

Miss Marion Dixon has been given the Third Grade of the North Dixon school, central building, filling the vacancy left through the resignation of Miss Helen Clark.

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# Sister Mary's Kitchen

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A very simple way to regulate an oven inclined to burn one's pies and cakes on the bottom is to put a pan of water on the floor of the oven exactly under the pans of baking pastries.

Heat the oven solely with regard to the top. Put the grating as high as possible. The lower part of the oven will be too hot, but it must be in order to have the top hot enough to bake "on top."

When the oven is the desired temperature, put in the cake and under it put the pan of cold water. A dripping pan half full of water will answer the purpose. A cup of cold water added from time to time will keep the heat down to any degree necessary.

## Menu for Tomorrow.

**BREAKFAST—**Rye with dates, coffee.

**LUNCHEON—**Beans in ramekins, bran bread, pickles, tea.

**DINNER—**Cream of celery soup, ham en casserole, baked potatoes, spinach, lemon pie, coffee.

## My Own Recipes.

When spinach is served for dinner, it is not necessary to have a salad. Greens of any sort will take the place of the green salad. But as spring draws near the cook needs to keep careful watch of her menus and not let a day pass without providing the wholesome and pep-giving minerals.

## RYE MEAL WITH DATES.

1½ cups coarsely ground rye meal, 1 quart water, 1 teaspoon salt, ¾ cup dates.

This breakfast food needs to be prepared in a fireless cooker or cooked the day before in a double boiler for at least 3 hours. If cooked in a double boiler it will be necessary to reheat the cereal in the morning.

## BEANS IN RAMEKINS.

1½ cups cold boiled beans, 8 slices bacon, 1 small onion, 1½ cups tomato juice, 2 tablespoons grated cheese.

Left-over, boiled, dried beans may be used. Put a layer of beans in the bottom of ramekins. Add bits of bacon and minced onion. Moisten with tomatoes and put a little cheese on top. Bake in a hot oven about 20 minutes.

## BRAN BREAD.

2 cups bran, 1½ cups graham flour, 3 tablespoons molasses, 2 tablespoons lard, 1 teaspoon salt, 1½ cups sour milk, 1½ teaspoons soda, ¾ cup chopped prunes.

Wash and stone prunes and cut into small pieces. Mix dry ingredients, add molasses and lard and sour milk with soda dissolved in it. Bake in a deep bread pan from 50 minutes to an hour.

# 13th ANNIVERSARY SALE ALL THIS WEEK

Cutting down the H. C. of L. Watch for green price card on extra specials. Best granulated Sugar, 18c lb., all you want. No restrictions.

**HARDWARE SPECIALS**  
Pamcy Santa Clara prunes, lb. 19c  
Whole evaporated peaches, lb. 25c  
No. 2 can pork and beans, 2 for 25c  
White linen soap, 4 for 25c  
Olivio soap, 3 for 10c  
H. P. navy beans, lb. 10c  
Fresh 6 oz. pkg. figs. 25c  
P. C. flour, 2 for 25c  
Pop corn, 3 lbs. for 25c  
Best rolled oats, 4 lbs. for 25c  
Yellow corn meal, 4 lbs. for 14c  
Borden's or Carnation milk. 14c  
Flat cans salmon

## BIG CANDY SPECIALS

Fresh fudge, regular 30c. lb. 20c  
value, all this week, lb. 10c  
All brands of gum, 10c  
Cough drops, 26c  
6 packages for 5c  
All kinds chocolate bars, 5c

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# WINTER GARDEN GIRLS TO THE RESCUE



NEW YORK—Girls from the indoor Winter Garden show recently took part in an outdoor winter garden affair, so to speak. Mayor Hylan called for volunteer snow heavers when the city was blanketed with a record fall of snow. Above picture shows three girls from the Winter Garden cast doing their bit. Left to right, Evelyn Scott, Orilla Smith and Mary Russell.

If George Washington couldn't tell a lie, why all the fuss about his truthfulness?

# The Stage

## PORTER J. WHITE.

The coming of Porter J. White awakens pleasant memories. Some years ago this actor was seemingly doomed to the perpetual playing of the role of Mephisto in "Faust"; the mention of Mr. White's name was immediately followed by: "Oh yes, he played 'The Devil'." In spite of the player's unquestioned versatility and the widely varied number of parts that he had assumed, the Faust legend followed him and it took him years to accustom the public to his later character work. But from all reports his offering this season will serve as the beginning of a new era in his theatrical gallery of portraits, for in "The Visitor" the whimsical melodrama which he brings to the Dixon opera house tomorrow night, he has found a part so definitely suited to his unique gifts that even the most rabid of his Mephisto admirers have pronounced it the finest thing he has ever done and one of the most distinguished achievements of the American theatre.

## ELKS CHORUS TONIGHT.

A very important rehearsal of the Elks' minstrel chorus will be held at the club at 7:30 o'clock this evening.

Temperature range for the day: 20 degrees above zero.

# Legion Committee Presses Legislation

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—A bonus for ex-service men and compulsory military training were announced as the principal aims of the legislative committee of the American Legion, members of which were here today for a series of conferences with congressmen. Franklin D. Oiler, national commander of the legion, was present to direct the activities of the committee.

The bonus issue, which was side tracked after considerable agitation at the first annual convention of the legion in Minneapolis, through a vote to leave the question to congress, last week was revived at national headquarters in Indianapolis. It was claimed that on account of the dilatoriness of congress, the legion was determined to press the matter by asking for a specific settlement by the government of a \$50 bond for each month of service performed during the war, such a bonus, it was estimated, would cost the government approximately \$1,900,000,000.

The legion already has gone on record as favoring compulsory military training.

## HAS RECOVERED.

Miss Myrtle Rice has recovered from an attack of gripe which she suffered last week and is again at her work at the Kennedy music store.

# Young Comptonite Died Sabbath Day

Theodore Nelson, a young farmer residing in Compton, passed away at his home there Sunday afternoon at 1:15 o'clock from a complication of diseases, following a two weeks' illness of influenza. He was thirty-two years of age and leaves a wife, five brothers, a sister, and his mother. He was born in Ottawa, Kas., going to Compton about two years ago upon his marriage to Miss Ida Elch, of Compton. At that time he built a new residence there. He was well known and made many friends in the period of his residence in Compton. Definite funeral arrangements have not been made, awaiting word from his relatives in Kansas, but the funeral will probably be held tomorrow afternoon in the Lutheran church of Compton, with burial in the Lutheran cemetery.

# East Has Nothing on Dixon Vicinity

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—Another cold wave gripped the eastern portion of the country today the cold area extending from Canada to the gulf and from the Atlantic to the Mississippi river.

At the weather bureau it was said that the cold snap would be of short duration, however. The forecaster predicted that temperatures would begin to moderate tonight.

In the middle Atlantic, middle western and New England states thermometers fell below freezing and in some places below zero.

## FOR ONE-DAY VISIT.

J. H. Kenneth, plow expert for the J. I. Case Threshing Machine Co., who has been conducting schools for salesmen and tractor users throughout the central states since November, came home this morning for a one-day visit with friends. He will go to Sterling this evening to spend a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Earle Bishop, and will leave Thursday night for Billings, Mont.

## LEFT THE HOSPITAL.

Steve Cuzman has recovered from the broken leg which he suffered several week ago and has been discharged from the hospital.

# Expect New Record in Bowling Entries

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Peoria, Ill., Feb. 16.—Headquarters for the American Bowling Congress, which opens here early in March, were transferred from Milwaukee to Peoria today. Secretary Abe L. Langtry, was to arrive tonight. With the entries closing February 18, there was every indication today the tournament would attract more than 800 five men teams, a new A B C record.

## PEORIA MAN LEADS.

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Aurora, Ill., Feb. 16.—Louis Payne of Peoria, shot into the lead in the interstate bowling tournament with only two days of rolling remaining. He got 687 pins by bowling three consecutive games, 193, 242 and 252. He replaced Henry Poggensee of Chicago who had held the lead with 677 for three weeks. Other leaders in the tournament now are:  
Five-Men—Rialtos, Aurora, 2,925.  
Two-Men—Wolf-Brennan, Chicago, 1,318.

# Three Queens at Servants' Dance

Kings Lynn, Eng., Feb. 7.—(By Mail)—Three queens, Dowager Queen Alexandra and Queen Mary of England and Queen Maud of Norway, and several princes and princesses of the two royal houses were part of the company attending the Servants' Ball at Sandringham, Queen Alexandra's home here, the other night. The ball, honoring the servants at Sandringham, was an annual affair in pre-war days.

## FUNERAL HELD SATURDAY.

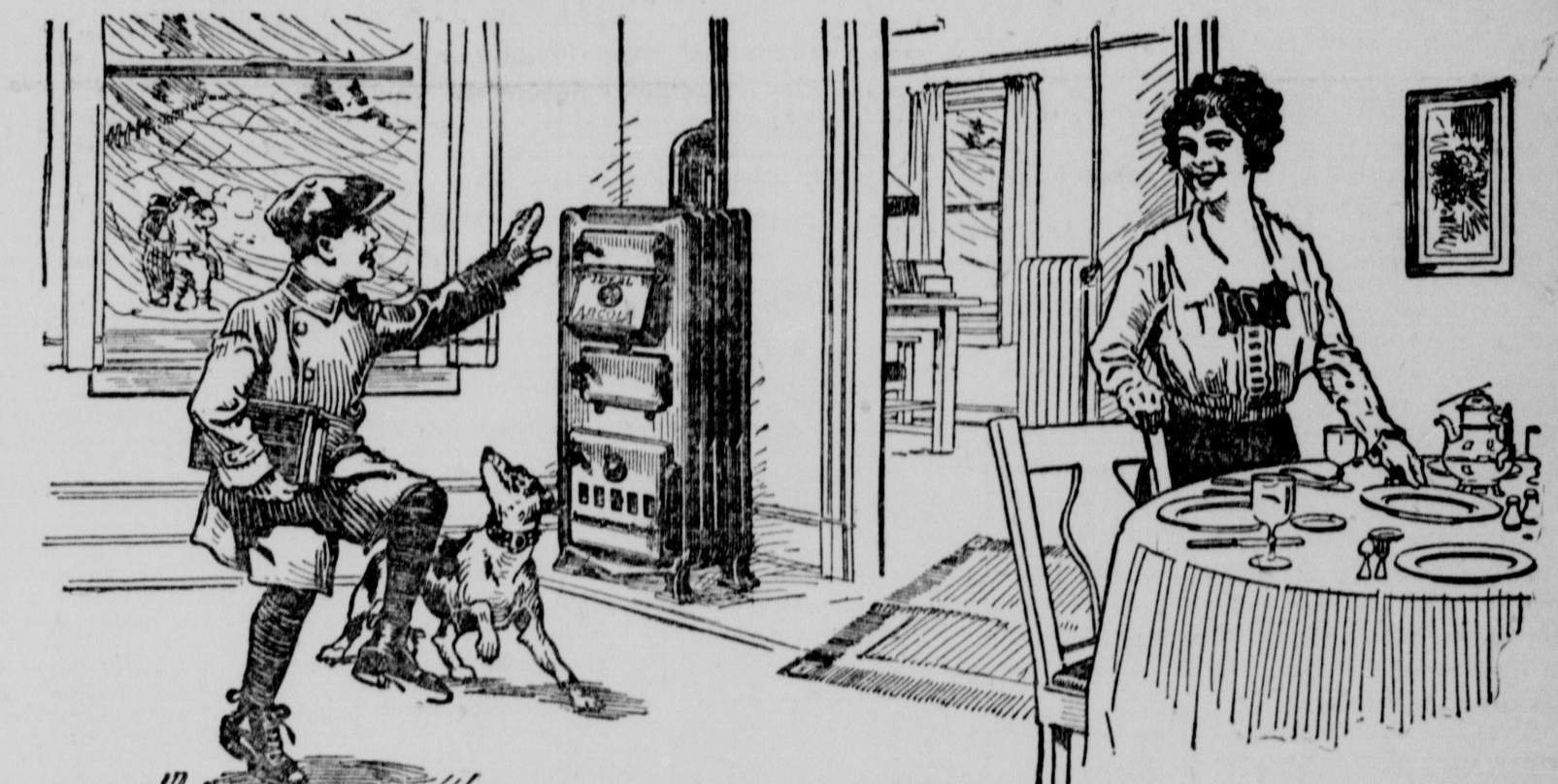
Mrs. Charles Atkins, an aunt of Jay Atkins of this city, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Grimes, in Rock Falls last Thursday, the funeral being held Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Atkins, whose husband was a well known printer, is survived by a son and a daughter.

## WILSON PICKS POLLARD.

Washington, Feb. 16.—John Garland, of Virginia, has been selected by President Wilson as a member of the Federal Trade Commission.

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THE BRAIN

The brain is a kind of automatic switch-board, enormously complex, that determines what muscles and glands will be stirred to action by the different sights, sounds, smells and other impressions that are made upon it through the senses. And so it contains various "sensory" and "motor" areas—a "visual center" at the back, through which impressions from the eyes must come, if they are to affect one's conduct; an "auditory center" at each side, connected with the ears; a center for smell, buried under the surface of the brain behind the nose, and a whole series of sensations of touch from the different parts of the body. These last lie just behind the fissure of Rolando, which slopes downward and forward from the top of the head; and right in front of them are the "motor" centers go that move legs and feet, arms, hands, fingers and tongue to orderly and useful action.

If we suppose that a current going through one series of nerve cells and fibers feels a little different from a current going through any other (and there are thousands of millions of them), we can describe a thought as the kind of complex feeling that one has when a nervous current is traveling along any particular combination of paths, whether a person is really acting or only rehearsing an act.

Thus thought and action are intimately connected, and it is possible to understand how a blood clot, or "thrombus," in the brain can sometimes interfere more or less with both until it is absorbed or a new pathway is found for nervous currents going to the old destination. The smaller the clot and the further it is along the path toward a muscle, the less it is likely to interfere with thought.

Curiously enough, the right arm and leg are controlled mainly from the left side of the brain, and vice versa. And there is a place, well past the central switchboards, where fibres to arm and leg come so close together that a very slight trouble can affect them both, while doing little or no injury to the brain as a whole.

CABINET MEMBERS IN CONGRESS

The oft-discussed suggestion that cabinet members be given seats in congress has been given practical form in a bill introduced by Representative Mooney. His measure provides that all members of the cabinet shall be entitled to seats on the floor of the house and senate, with the right to participate in debate and furnish information concerning matters relating to their several departments.

Such an arrangement is common abroad, and might well have been introduced at Washington long ago. A great deal of discussion in both houses of congress is aimless and confused because the speakers lack facts which could be easily furnished if the head of the department concerned was present. The administrative heads, too, are often at a disadvantage because they do not know what the legislators are doing about matters of moment to them.

In one particular the Mooney bill seems to go too far. It makes attendance of cabinet officers compulsory a certain number of times a week in both houses, unless they are expressly excused. That is probably unnecessary, and would be likely to waste the time of busy men. It would be enough to give them the privilege of attending regularly and demanding their attendance when it was especially desired.

"ANXIETY"

"The fear expressed by some that American wood alcohol will be imported in England for drinking purposes is not shared by the ministry of food," says the London Daily News. "There is no reason for the importa-

tion since Englishmen can now obtain methylated spirit to drink, should they desire it."

But, the article infers, Englishmen do not so desire. It almost escapes the British mind that Americans do not particularly desire perfume, bay rum, horse liniment and flavoring extract for beverage purposes.

The British press is not connecting wood alcohol consumption with prohibition. Rather wood alcohol is another not-to-be-understood Americanism. It is what might be expected in a country that produces jazz music and claims to have won the war.

Alarmed at first by the fear that the pernicious wood alcohol habit might spread from dry America to wet England, the solid old British newspapers are now reassuring folks. A calm and careful survey has convinced the ministry of food that the situation is not to be "viewed with anxiety."

GOOD SECURITIES

The Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College extends financial aid, when necessary, to deserving students. Any worthy student who is limited in funds can execute his note to the school for up to half of his maintenance expenses.

Under this regulation the aggregate amount of notes has exceeded \$15,000 per year. Up to the present time the school has suffered no loss.

Ambition, perseverance, energy and integrity are the securities offered.

Such securities should be worth as much to bankers as they are to the Texas A. & M. College. The capitalists of this country should see a sound business policy in financing the educational efforts of young men and young women.

Financial aid for children of the poor who seek to broaden their mental training is at present far too limited.

There was a sort of deadly politeness in those notes that passed between Ex-Secretary of State Lansing and the President. The missives were diplomatic, but they contained a kick just the same.

When a ship is launched it's customary to break a bottle over the bow. When a presidential boom is launched somebody always opens a box of tacks.

Lansing evidently was thinking about "pitiless publicity" when he gave those little notes of his and the President's to the press.

The war won't really be over until the navy medal fight is ended.

JUST JOKING

EDUCATIONAL

"You say this is an educational film?"

"Yes," replied the movie magnate, blandly.

"But it features a 'vampire'."

"Exactly. We're trying to make the world safe for married men."—Los Angeles Times.

MERELY TOLERATED

"Gustavus, you don't seem to like my family at all," pouted the bride.

"Give me time, my dear. I'm doing my best to be agreeable."

"But what's wrong with my family?"

"Nothing whatever, but I'm a sensitive man, I am, and the look of hopeless resignation your people wear whenever I'm around is getting on my nerves."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

A BUSH RANGER

Joseph Cummings Chase, the portrait painter, tells the story of a Connecticut farmer who never would admit that he didn't know all about anything that might come up.

At a county fair he was invited upon the platform, and the magician extracted a rabbit from his flowing beard.

"Ha! Ha!" laughed his wife when he returned to the audience, "now you can't say you expected that."

"Vaal—on, thet is, not exactly. Fur two days I been feelin' something going on in them whiskers of mine, but I couldn't quite make up my mind 'twas a rabbit."—St. Paul Daily News.

Today's Poem

by EDMUND VANCE COOKE

"LITTLE FOXES."

He was thick of collar and high of chest,  
He could hold a cannon across his vest,  
He could hold on the football line all day,  
He could hold a twenty-mule team in play,  
He could hold a ladder by one long rung,  
But he found it hard to hold—his tongue.

He was a man of the "multi" rank,  
He could check seven figures from any bank,  
He could check a panic of bulls and bears,  
He could check his minister's saving prayers,  
He could check his baggage or check a fight,  
But he could not check—his appetite.

He headed one of our largest firms,  
He could close a contract on solid terms,  
He could close the gates on a maddened mob,  
He could close a deal on a difficult job,  
He could close a Congress or close a case,  
But he simply could not close—his face.

It's the little foxes that spoil the grapes,  
It's the little monkeys who mock the apes,  
Every coat of mail has its open link,  
Achilles' heel had its tender spot,  
And maybe you have yours—like as not!

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THE BOYS IN THE OTHER CAR

BY GROVE

TH' ENGINEER MUST HAVE TH' WHISTLE STUCK

IT'S A WONDER HE DON'T CATCH HIS DEATH O' COLD SITTIN' THERE IN THAT DRAUGHT—HE'S MAKIN'

GET THE HIGH NOTE—HE MUST HAVE AN ADAM'S APPLE LIKE A PEA

HE'S LIABLE TO BLOW HIS BRAINS OUT—

SOMEBODY TOSS'M A PIECE OF CUTTLE FISH BONE

THAT AIN'T NO ROBIN—ONLY COO-COO'S WEAR 'BROWN DERBIES

HAVE YOU GOT ANY OF THOSE LITTLE ROBIN'S EGG CANDIES?

A WARBLER CUTS LOOSE

SUCH IS LIFE

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barton

BACK HOME.

"Jocko isn't here, that's sure!" said the magical mushroom to the green shoes. "We've looked everywhere in 'The Land o' Lost Things' and the rascal still can't be found. Where do you 'posse the Fairy Queen would want us to take these children next?" He pushed back his hat and scratched his head thoughtfully, then set it straight again—his hat I mean.

The green shoes tapped their toes which showed they were thinking, too. They kept tapping so long that Nancy and Nick looked down to see what was wrong with their feet, for they hadn't heard the conversation. How could they, and, moreover, why should they? It was in fairy language, and goodness alive, wouldn't it be a nice state of things if children knew and heard everything that was being planned for them.

Besides—well, besides a lot of things!

They had been in 'The Land o' Lost Things' for some time, and if they had known they were leaving they would have hunted up Queen Rag Doll and

The lassie and her sailor

Are happy. Back at last  
Is the lad who'll never fail her  
Any time the anchor's cast.  
But oh! the wicked, wicked gob,  
Who loves them one and all,  
For whom the wan-eyed maidens sob  
At every port of call!  
Still, do not weep for Ethel's woe,  
She sings no doleful note,  
For Ethel has a first-class beau  
On every ship afloat.

One of the Strangest Stories Ever Told.

"The days of hard work are over. Nobody will work much in the future. Play will be the big thing in life. Three or four hours a day of work, and taking it pretty easy, at that. Crops will just grow of their own sweet will. Shoes will come out of the mill just like that! Houses will grow on bushes, and machines will make themselves. But wages will be high. Oh, yes, indeed! All the money one wants to spend. No need to save any, for all one will have to do when he wants more will be to get a scoop and shovel it up. Just press a button and a new suit of clothes climbs on your back, or a new fur coat snuggles itself round your wife's shoulders. Press another button and dishes come out laden with food, and then rush back to the kitchen to wash themselves. There'll be padded cells and straitjackets for the foolish nuts who insist upon doing "hard work."

PINNING A MEDAL ON

You've heard that song, 'Hello Central, Give Me No Man's Land'—well,

ABE MARTIN.

now, honestly, that's about the only place that Central can't give you. Didja ever stop to think o' that? Maybe the telephone HAS binged forth just when you were taking a bit of snooze down at the office. And maybe you DID get a ring just when you started out to lunch—and yet, You shouldn't be sleeping at the office anyway, and besides,

Who is it who gives you a cheery "number please" just when you've an old grouch on?

Who makes it possible for your friends to call you up when they land in town—so you can invite them out to eat?

What wouldja do if you couldn't call up your wife during the day?

How wouldja get your groceries when it was pouring down rain, if you couldn't grab up the phone?

While medals are floatin' around, let's pin one on

MISS TELEPHONE GIRL!

An eccentric old lady in Paris has the roof plate of her false teeth made of two thin sheets of gold, made of two thin sheets of gold, between which is inserted a miniature copy of her will for safe keeping.

Whenever the mercury drops to zero at Beaver, Pa., the old town clock begins striking and keeps on until the janitor climbs the tower and muffles the bell.

Forty-five linguists in the Bureau of War Risk Insurance are employed to translate 16 different languages used in the correspondence.

Among the names of 4,500,000 men in service during the war, the shortest family name was "D," that of two soldiers, natives of Hawaii.

Imperial Valley, California, once a desert, yielded last year 8,000 carloads of cantaloupes and 1000 carloads of watermelons.

A newspaper or sheet of paper tied to a window or balcony of a dwelling house in Mexico indicates that there are rooms to let in the house.

The little republic of San Marino has the longest national anthem after China. To hear it from beginning to end would take several hours.

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PRINCESS ANNE SURVIVORS LAND

NEW YORK—Survivors of the Princess Anne, which went aground off Rockaway Point, were rescued and landed in New York. Picture shows some of the survivors being assisted from a police boat at the Battery.

Confessions of a Bride

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Serg took up the job of completing my airplane education with unexpected alacrity. He "wasn't used to ladies," he had told Jim and I expected he would be rather grouchy about getting the bus out as often as I wanted to use it. On the contrary, he was always eager to do so. Besides in making landings was what I most needed and my need happened to suit Serg's own interest.

He was still fussing with his airplane self-starter. It pleased him to have an excuse for taking the bus up and bringing her down a dozen times a day.

He showed me with much pride how his self-starter worked. He said that it's main trouble was that it only worked when it wanted to and he never could tell when it was going on a strike. He admitted that was a defect, but still he had faith in his invention.

I was sitting in the cockpit one morning with everything ready for a start, waiting for Serg who had gone to give his mechanics some instructions. The self-starter had been stalled for several days. I had heard the boys guy Serg about it. Bets were up as to whether or not it would ever be good for anything again.

I myself had my doubts. I pushed over the lever which turned on the juice. To my vast astonishment, it happened to be one of the mornings when Serg's contrary little pet chose to do the right thing. The engine turned over—faster and faster—and my bus taxied down the field!

My airplane was running away with me!

I knew the danger of that field—a railroad embankment crossed my path only a little way before me. Running into it would mean the complete destruction of my pernicious plane!

I had presence of mind enough to give her the gun and nose her up—and before I realized what was happening, I was off on my first solo flight in the air!

I had let myself in for one adventure which I did not care for.

As soon as I had made my take-off, I realized that I must keep on going up and up—into the blue—before I could come down with safety. In fact, I must keep going until I could get my nerves steady enough to make a descent. For just one awful moment I had a very bad scare. My bus dropped from side to side like a wounded bird and only by remembering Jim's instructions to neutralize the controls did I manage to level off at all.

I felt that it was very good to find myself alive, after that. I suppose that a girl in a runaway airplane ought to have some intense emotions—some poetical thoughts upon finding herself abandoned in the skies—a human atom lost in the universe! But the only idea I had, when I came out of my grand fright, was that it would be rather sporty to go off for a little gallop through the clouds. However, that exploit couldn't be undertaken for it would have compelled poor Serg and his men to chase over the country in an auto pursuing me—or my remains.

So I headed her homeward, summoned up courage to spiral down over the field, and finally made a nervous, jumpy landing. The men called it a "bum" landing. They joked considerable about my exploit, and pretended they never had thought for a moment that I would lose my head. I considered them most kind. I really was the proudest girl on earth when I stepped out of the cockpit, but I couldn't assume a very proud attitude for my knees wobbled beneath me.

Serg was vastly delighted with the success of his self-starter. I had won a bunch of money for him, he said. Nevertheless, he reminded me of Jim Lorrimer's last warning; I was never to take that bus up unless Serg was around. How was I to know whether the machine was fit for a flight unless Serg told me so?

Other solo flights followed, but I never got over two phases of fright. I was always afraid to start and always afraid to come down. However, I was never afraid to keep going, once I had started!

As my confidence in myself increased, a queer plan for an adventure began to take shape in my mind.

30 YEARS AGO IN DIXON TELEGRAPH

Franklin Grove opened a new public reading room.

A. K. Trusdell moved into new offices in the Countryman building.

Summit Honey purchased the milk route of W. H. Martin of Palmyra.

Leaky smoke pipes caused a near-panic at the Dementown school.

Mrs. M. F. McGaffey died at her home in Palmyra township.

TEN YEARS AGO IN DIXON TELEGRAPH

Engineer George Edans was seriously injured when he was caught under his engine in a wreck in the Amboy L. C. yards.

Temperature range for the day was between 46 and 15 degrees above zero.

Fred Coxwell farm home in Nelson was threatened by fire which destroyed the summer kitchen.

Sheriff Tourtellott and a party of friends were victims of a runaway returning from a business trip to Sterling. No one was hurt.

Nearly one-third of the former service men who were insured by the government cannot be reached by mail at their old home addresses, as shown by the letters returned as undeliverable.

A Miss Healey who recently resigned as head waitress at the Pittsfield, Mass., hotel to get married, has served at the hotel for 24 years, and in all that time she had missed serving only two meals.

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Uncle Sam

"UNCLE SAM, M. D., will answer questions of general interest relating to hygiene, sanitation, and the prevention of disease. Address: INFORMATION EDITOR, U. S. Public Health Service, WASHINGTON, D. C."

How the Teeth Come In

Somewhere around the end of the sixth month, if the baby has been thriving normally, the first teeth, usually the lower front ones, that were lodged in baby's jaws when it was born, will appear, and these will be followed at more or less regular intervals by the upper incisors, then the "back teeth" and lastly, usually by the cuspids, or as they are popularly called, the "stomach" and "eye" teeth.

The following list shows about the time when these teeth should break through the gums:

Two lower front teeth, at 5 to 7 months.

Two upper front teeth, at 6 to 8 months.

Two more lower front teeth, at 7 to 9 months.

Two more upper front teeth 8 to 10 months.

Four back (molar) teeth, one on each jaw, 10 to 14 months.

Four more molar teeth, back of the others, at about two years.

Four cuspids "eye" and "stomach" teeth at 2 to 2 1/2 years.

Time for Permanent Teeth

Four first molars, one on each side of each jaw, 5 to 7 years.

Two lower front teeth, 5 to 7 years.

Two upper front teeth, 6 to 8 years.

Two more upper front teeth, 6 to 8 years.

Two more lower front teeth 6 to 8 years.

Four bicuspsids, two upper and two lower, 8 to 10 years.

Two "eye" and two "stomach" teeth, 9 to 12 years.

Two upper and two lower second molars, 12 to 14 years.

Two upper and lower third molars 17 to 25 years.

Answered

Q. Is radium used in the treatment of tuberculosis, pneumonia and similar diseases? I have been told to get a radium pad and wear it next to the affected member of the body.

A. Whatever you do take no stock in misleading statements put out by manufacturers of alleged specific cures. Radium, whether in the form of pads, liquids, or other forms, is no recognized treatment for tuberculosis, pneumonia, or other respiratory diseases. Be sure to consult a qualified physician, have him give you a thorough examination, and then follow his advice.

Q. I would like to know whether I have consumption or not. Have had a cough for three years. There is a tickling in my throat. I have taken all kinds of patent cures, but they have not helped. I smoke a great many cigarettes, and weigh only 125 pounds. What would you advise?

A. By all means consult a qualified physician and have him give you a thorough examination. It is certainly foolish to take any stock in the claims made by manufacturers of widely advertised patent medicines. It is possible that your persistent cough is due to excessive smoking, or to some local throat trouble, such as an elongated uvula or a chronic laryngitis. The only safe plan to pursue is to have a doctor diagnose your condition.

## PALESTINE MAY TAKE PLACE IN INDUSTRIAL AFFAIRS OF THE WORLD

### Jerusalem May Become a Humming Mart of Modern Trade.

Washington—Palestine soon may take its place among industrial nations, and ancient Jerusalem may become a humming mart of modern trade, if projects in contemplation are realized.

One such project is that of building a tunnel from the Dead Sea to the Mediterranean, passing under Jerusalem, which would utilize the variation in levels to provide water power for stations along the way.

A second suggestion is to build a new industrial zone about Jerusalem, while the ancient city is preserved intact.

In this connection the National Geographic society has issued, from its Washington headquarters, the following bulletin, based on a communication to The Society by John D. Whitling:

**Customs Unchanged**  
"Few realize that the manners and customs which prevailed in the Holy Land in Biblical days are still unchanged, even after an interval of 3000 years.

"The present day villages are located, as a rule, either on the tops of hills, originally for protection or near some spring or source of water. Many are built upon the foundations of dwellings whose origin dates back thousands of years. There does not exist a single example of a peasant village that has been founded in modern times.

"Many have pictured Mary and Joseph, after arriving at the inn at Bethlehem, and finding no room, being forced to turn into some barn built of timber, with lofty roofs, hay mows, wooden mangers, and stalls for cattle and sheep. Such a stable has been the subject of many medieval and modern artists, but it does not present a really true picture. Let us consider the old-style village home that is most common in the districts around Jerusalem and Bethlehem for that will give us a better idea of what happened on that first Christmas day.

**Narrow Crooked Streets**  
"The village streets are crooked, narrow and unpaved. As in many of the countries of the Orient, farmers live close together for protection, and not on their lands; therefore in the villages there are no open fields or gardens, but house is next to house, except for the small walled-in enclosure or sheepfolds through which one generally passes in going into a dwelling.

"The house itself consists of one large room, usually square. The walls, from 3 to 4 feet thick, are built of blocks of stone roughly dressed and laid in mortar, roofed over with a dome, also of stone. The outside of this roof is covered with a coating of mortar made of clay, which, on being pressed with a small stone roller or pounded with a board, becomes hard and compact enough to shed the rain.

"A steep, outside staircase, unprotected by any railing, is built up to the roof, for the surface must be repaired at times. The flat, open space of the roof also forms a handy place on which to dry figs and raisins, and during the hot weather the family may sleep there at night.

**Two Small Windows**  
"Entering the door, we find that about two-thirds of the space is devoted to a raised masonry platform, some 8 to 10 feet above the ground and supported by low-domed arches. This raised space, called, el mastaby,

## SHE GOT \$10,000 TO MEND BROKEN HEART



AMY O'CONNOR

A jury in federal court at Indianapolis, Ind. on Thursday, gave Miss Amy O'Connor of London, England, and New York \$10,000 damages in her \$500,000 breach of promise suit against Allen Gray, 65 year old Evansville banker. Attorneys for Miss O'Connor asserted after the verdict that they have proved a clear case against William Gray, brother of Allen Gray, for alleged alienation of affections. She has a suit entered against him for \$100,000 damages. The date of the trial has not been set.

is the part occupied by the family, while the lower part is used for the cattle and flocks. A few narrow stone steps lead up to the mastaby, and a couple of small windows pierce the wall, high up from the ground. These as a rule, are the only means of ad-

mitting light and furnishing ventilation to the entire house. "On one side is an open fireplace with a chimney running through the wall and terminating on the roof, often in an old water jar whose bottom has been knocked out, and so be-

comes a sort of smokestack. Many houses have no chimneys at all; small holes through the wall, or the windows, furnish the only exit for the smoke, which on winter days fairly fills the house.

### Furniture Is Simple

"The furniture is very simple—a crudely decorated chest, a straw mat, or heavy woven wicker rug, which covers part of the floor, and mattresses with thick quilts and hard pillows which at night are spread on the floor. The cooking utensils are few in number—one clay cooking pot, a couple of large wooden bowls in which to knead the dough and a couple of smaller ones used to eat from.

"Having inspected the dwelling portion, which at once is kitchen, storeroom, bedroom and living room, we descend the steps into what the natives call the stable.

"Below the mastaby, or raised platform, just described, among arches so low that a man can scarcely walk erect, are the winter quarters of the goats and sheep. To shut the flocks in these arched entrances are obstructed with bundles of brush, used as firewood for the winter. The rest of the floor space, which is open to the ceiling, is devoted to the few work cattle and perhaps a donkey or camel. Around the wall are primitive mangers for the cattle, built of rough slabs of stone placed on edge and plastered up with mortar.

"Often the owner makes a small raised place on which he sleeps at night to keep better watch over the newly born lambs, lest in the crowded quarters some get crushed or trodden down by the older ones. Here he often sleeps by preference on a cold night, for he says the breath of the animals keeps him warm."

## NEWS FROM DIXON



### TRI-COUNTY GAMES.

In the Tri-County Bowling tournament at the Y alleys two teams representing the Curtis Brothers Co. of Clinton, Ia., and Elliott and Moersbacher of Dixon, rolled Saturday. Scores are given below. Three games over 200 were rolled; Moersbacher with 212, Belles 209 and Hannafan with 220.

This evening the team from Rochelle will bowl and on Tuesday and Wednesday two Dixon teams will play

their games. To date the standing of the teams in the various events is as follows:

### Five-Man Teams.

Oregon, 2313.  
Sterling, 2294.  
Curtis Bros., 2260.  
Curtis Bros., 2230.  
Sterling, 2152.

### Doubles.

B. Cook and C. Cook, 997.  
Belles and Anderson, 989.  
Nill and Crawford, 976.  
Hinrickson and Hannafan, 975.  
Unger and Reynolds, 951.  
Linn and Smith, 947.  
Hitzel and Mangan, 943.  
Cramberg and Ankey, 918.  
MacNicol and M. & W. G., 914.  
Wheeler and Rose, 907.  
Stage and Moore, 862.  
Weeks and Bees, 857.  
Bergner and Reed, 856.  
Fell and Knapp, 855.

### Singles.

Hannafan, 541.  
Anderson, 528.  
R. L., 517.  
C. Cook, 506.  
Smith, 478.  
Reed, 465.  
Knapp, 465.  
Rose, 461.  
Ankey, 453.  
Cramberg, 453.  
Unger, 446.  
Bergner, 442.  
More, 441.  
Belles, 432.  
Nill, 423.  
Mangan, 403.  
Wheeler, 397.  
Stage, 395.  
Saturday's score:

### DIXON.

Singles—  
Elliott ..... 181 179 181  
Total, 541.  
Moersbacher ..... 212 188 155  
Total, 555.  
Doubles—  
Elliott ..... 129 169 155  
Moersbacher ..... 162 149 125  
Total, 889.

### CURTIS, CLINTON, IA.

Five-Man Teams—  
Hinrickson ..... 120 131 156  
Hannafan ..... 138 196 120  
MacNicol, W. .... 158 146 145

Weeks ..... 168 141 153  
Belles ..... 162 138 148  
Totals ..... 746 752 732  
Team total, 2230.

Buech ..... 171 157 157  
C. Cook ..... 162 131 124  
MacNicol, M. .... 146 135 123  
Anderson ..... 155 152 144  
B. Cook ..... 165 185 153

Totals ..... 799 760 701  
Team total, 2260.

### Doubles—

W. MacNicol ..... 150 159 138  
M. MacNicol ..... 165 148 154  
Total, 914.  
B. Cook ..... 192 182 154  
C. Cook ..... 134 155 180  
Total, 997.  
Buech ..... 143 117 138  
Weeks ..... 153 150 126  
Total, 857.  
Belles ..... 209 165 130  
Anderson ..... 143 177 165  
Total, 989.  
Hinrickson ..... 176 166 160  
Hannafan ..... 169 135 163  
Total, 975.

### Singles—

Belles ..... 136 162 154 432  
Anderson ..... 168 170 190 528  
C. Cook ..... 166 173 167 508  
Hannafan ..... 220 169 162 541

### STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Kangaroos	3	0	1.000
Wienies	2	1	.667
Cooties	1	2	.333
Bullfrogs	0	3	.000

Both games in the Junior "A" basket ball tournament Saturday morning were close and exciting. In the first game the Kangaroos continued their winning streak and downed the Wienies 8-1. The second game was a much closer and harder fought battle the Cooties finally winning over the Bullfrogs, 8-5.

### First Game—

Kangaroos—Segner, captain; Bokhof, Slothower, Burd, Aschenbrenner, Young.  
Wienies—Archer, captain; Beech, Boyer, Drake, Welch.  
Baskets—Segner, Bokhof, Aschen-

brenner (2).  
Free Throws—Archer.  
**Second Game—**  
Cooties—Forrest, Wickey, Thoman, Edson, Hogenstein.  
Bullfrogs—Leti, Grover, Emerson.  
Baskets—Forrest (3).  
Baskets—Forrest, 3; Thoman, Grover, 2.  
Free Throws, Grover.

### VOLLEY BALL FEED.

The banquet to be tendered the winning volley ball teams, Sutterlin and Potter by the losers, Wheeler and Wilson, will be enjoyed at 6:15 tomorrow evening.

### POTATOES

Green Mountains, the finest we ever saw, also Burbanks, all free from frost. Two and one-half bu. \$7.50 per sack delivered. We have had no complaint about our stock this winter. Your seed stock is the foundation of your crop. We will be headquarters for quality seed. Best varieties of potatoes.

### APPLES

\$2.00 per box and up. Why not save 30 to 50 per cent by buying direct and cutting out two to three middlemen's profits. All goods delivered free.

**THE BOWSER FRUIT COMPANY**  
92 Hennepin Ave., Dixon, Ill. 361f

The Bureau of War Risk Insurance at Washington received and answered 4,000,000 letters during the first six months of 1919.

## 52,728 Bottles of Beer; None to Drink

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Zion City, Ill.—An inventory just completed by Joseph L. Bishop, Police Magistrate here, shows that the total number of bottles of Milwaukee beer which remain after the famous spilling in this city on Nov. 21 of last year, is 52,728. On Nov. 21 it is estimated that the authorities at Zion spilled 85,000 bottles of beer which was seized by the Zion police during the raids of last August, when 39 trucks and touring cars laden with Milwaukee beer were captured and the drivers arrested. The inventory shows that there still remains at the Zion police station and at a storage warehouse in this city, 554 cases of beer, 387 barrels, 18½ sacks, making a total of 47,592 twelve ounce bottles and 5136 twenty-four ounce bottles making a grand total of 52,728 bottles or 5697 gallons.

### WHEN TRAP UNDER SINK FREEZES

The quickest way to thaw the trap under the kitchen sink is to open it and hold a lighted candle close enough to thaw out the nut. Then boiling water poured directly on the ball of ice, will melt it.

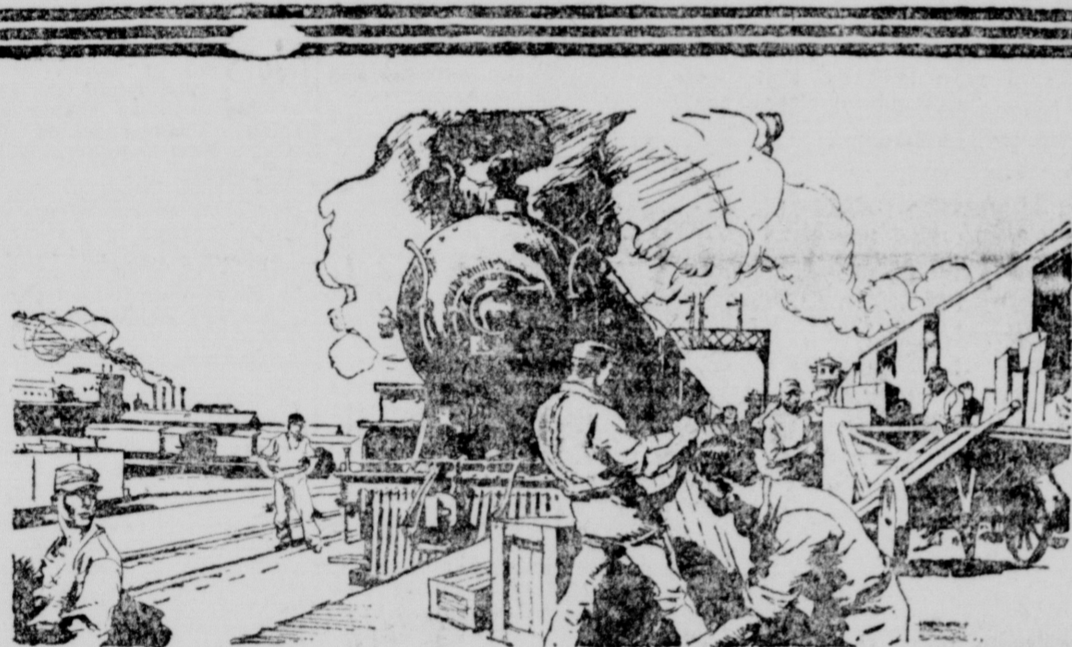
### WANTED.

Copies of The Evening Telegraph of Feb. 6th are desired at this office.

## MUST BE SOLD

All sold but the home place. This must be sold on or before March first. If you want a home this is the best bargain in Dixon. Can arrange terms to suit you.

J. E. VAILE AGENCY



## They couldn't be built now for twice \$71,000

When the talk turns from politics to railroads, and the traveler with the cocksure air breaks in with, "There's an awful lot of 'water' in the railroads," here are some hard-pan facts to give him:

American railroads have cost \$80,900 a mile—roadbed, structures, stations, yards, terminals, freight and passenger trains—everything from the great city terminals to the last spike.

A good concrete-and-asphalt highway costs \$36,000 a mile—just a bare road, not counting the cost of culverts, bridges, etc.

Our railroads couldn't be duplicated today for \$150,000 a mile.

They are capitalized for only \$71,000 a mile—much less than their actual value. Seventy-one thousand dollars today will buy one locomotive.

English railways are capitalized at \$274,000 a mile; the French at \$155,000; German \$132,000; even in Canada (still in pioneer development) they are capitalized at \$67,000 a mile. The average for all foreign countries is \$100,000.

Low capitalization and high operating efficiency have enabled American railroads to pay the highest wages while charging the lowest rates.

*This advertisement is published by the Association of Railway Executives*

Those desiring information concerning the railroad situation may obtain literature by writing to The Association of Railway Executives, 61 Broadway, New York

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Come in and see a demonstration at our show rooms all this week.

Special representatives of the factory are here to show you how the average family washing can be done and on the line inside of an hour.

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**Lee County Electric Co.**

121 Galena Avenue



**The Professional Boot Black's Pride**

Good Boot Blacks know good polish—that's why you will find Eagle Brand Polishes used by the best of them.

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produce a brilliant, lasting, water-proof shine—they go on quickly and easily—and they stay on longer than you would ever expect they would. Being made of pure wax and oils, Eagle Brand Polishes are positively a benefit to the leather.

For Black Shoes only, ask for Stay-Shine. For Black, Russet, Ox-blood and Brown Shoes, ask for Eagle Brand Paste Polish. Both are the best to be had for their particular uses.

Sold by all good Drug, Grocery and Shoe Stores.  
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Chicago

# THE WOMAN WHO LOVED--AND EARNED

ROBERT'S FRIENDS TAKE A HAND.  
CHAPTER 61.

Robert was moody, silent, and disagreeable much of the time. He hated his work, the inferior quality of the goods he was asked to sell, the small business men's methods, and lastly the way he, as well as the rest of the help, was treated.

"One would think I had just commenced to work," he grumbled. "Burch seems to think his clerks can play bundle boys, do errands, or any other odd thing!"

"Perhaps he feels he can't afford to do differently. Large oaks from little acorns grow, you know," I quoted, laughing a little because Robert looked so lugubrious. But I really felt more like crying. "I suppose Caiding and the other big stores had to start sometime in a small way."

"Talking that way doesn't make being treated like a lackey any easier!" Robert snapped, then begged my pardon.

"I don't know what ails me, Gerry! Honest, I try to keep my temper, but everything seems to rub me the wrong way. I am sorry I spoke so cross to you. You deserve better from me."

He spoke so humbly and looked so distressed that I made very light of his grumbling, and laughed at him for a silly goose to care what he did so long as he had to spend the time.

"I never care what I have to do," I told him. "Madame pays me for the time I spend in the shop. And it really makes no real difference whether I trim the window or sell hats. My time is hers."

"I don't see it that way at all. I am hired to sell goods, not to play errand boy."

## AT WAR WITH YOURSELF Help Nature to Defeat the Disease in Your Body

Keep up the fight; do not give up. Nature is trying to serve you in conquering the wrongs that may exist.

Red blood, vim, courage, vitality, all seem lacking. No wonder you are nervous and discouraged.

Why not call to your aid a strong, dependable ally? Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has for nearly fifty years proven its merits as a most powerful tonic and blood builder to the many thousands who have been returned to good health by its use.

Savanna, Ill.—"I was suffering with liver complaint and dyspepsia. I had backache and felt miserable all over. For my ailments I took Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and it was very beneficial in every way. It did me of my ailments and my health was much improved after its use."—LRA CLARK, 1255 N. Main St.



Joliet, Ill.—"I have taken Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery as a tonic and blood purifier and found it very beneficial, and I always keep the 'Pleasant Pellets' on hand to take as a regulator. I find that they keep me in a healthier condition than any medicine I have ever taken. They are fine for constipation and an excellent regulator of stomach, liver and bowels. I think so well of these medicines of Dr. Pierce's that I am always recommending them to my friends and have never known of one instance where they have not given perfect satisfaction."—C. W. JOHNSON, 610-2nd Ave.

"But if there are no customers, and other things need to be done," he said, so impatiently that I stopped arguing, altho I couldn't stop thinking that perhaps if Robert had had more sense of his own importance, and more interest in his work, he would get along better.

Betty Weed gave another little party about this time. She gave it so we could all rejoice together over Robert's recovery. So many had been killed with automobiles and so many others permanently injured, that she said it was only fair to have a party for Robert.

I knew it was only an excuse to cheer him up. I had met Frank on my way home from the shop, and had told him that Bob was depressed and blue.

"We'll have to do something to wake him up," he had replied. "You know that conditions grow on a fellow if he gives way to it. And really, poor old Bob has had it pretty rough lately."

"I know it, Frank." I—for the first time I had felt an inclination to speak of Robert and his failure in business to someone besides Mary Ryan. But I caught myself just in time. There was nothing Frank could do. Why tell him?

"What were you about to say, Gerry?" "Oh nothing! But really Bob needs cheering up. His accident kept him in the house so long, he isn't quite himself even yet. And then the loss of his position because of his enforced absence, the position with such a different type of man has combined to make him unhappy."

"Was that the reason he lost his position with Burch?" I didn't think they would do a thing like that. It's a rotten trick to discharge a man when he is sick.

I felt my face flush, and yet I could not say anything to disabuse Frank's mind of the idea that Burch and Company had been unfair without letting him see that Robert was to blame. So I said nothing, while he continued to say untrue things about that firm. When he left me he said:

"Betty and I will get our heads together and see if we can't have some sort of a gay shindig to cheer Robert up a little. That was a low down trick that firm played on him."

Tomorrow—Invitations.

## Rebuilding Towns Damaged By Quakes

By Associated Press Licensed Wire. Laredo, Texas—Reconstruction of the towns destroyed by the recent earthquake in the Mexican state of Vera Cruz is proceeding rapidly, according to the Mexican City newspaper Excelsior.

Buildings of "solid construction" are giving way to the frame structures, the newspaper says, and while the new buildings "do not present the agreeable appearance of the former edifices, many of which dated back to colonial times, they will be safer for residents."

The governor of Vera Cruz has signed a contract with a Mexican City construction company for the erection of the first 500 wooden houses, which the Excelsior staff correspondent says "are of exquisite appearance."

After the close of the Civil War it was difficult and often impossible to obtain coffee.

In Norway married couples may travel on the railways for fare and a half.

# GIRL SACRIFICE TO DEVIL GOD Mkodos Sentence Young Woman to Snake-Like Coils of Crushing Death Tree

One of the Strangest Stories Any Traveler Ever Told

By MAUBERT ST. GEORGES.

French adventurer, who has spent most of his life far off the beaten path of globe-trotters and, who now for the first time tells what he has seen and heard.

In the southeastern part of Madagascar, there is inland a region barely known, whose white visitors are numbered on the fingers of one hand. In this region there lives a race of natives who call themselves Mkodos. They are among the smallest races in the world, the tallest I ever saw scarcely measuring four and a half feet.

The religion of these natives consists simply in the worship of a snake which appears to be large venomous looking thorn. Lastly above the green branches there grow pointing upwards half a dozen frail-looking palpi, I think the name is, that shiver as if constantly agitated by some strong wind.

Naturally, gods have to have some sacrifices, and I was lucky or unlucky enough to witness one of these celebrations, as this tree was no exception to the rule.



"The tree, so dead and motionless a moment before, had come to life at the contact of the woman."

red tree. This tree is most remarkable in appearance. It has a strange barrel-shaped trunk rising to some eight or nine feet in height, covered with a quaint mosaic-like bark. At the top it is about nine feet in circumference, and is capped with a strange saucer-like structure. Underneath the edge of this saucer there stretch out stiffly and horizontally a series of green branches seven to eight feet long. Beneath these hang eight leaves of great thickness, tapering to a sharp point, the outer surface being plentifully strewn with

one night the natives gathered about one of these trees and built great fires. Then they gorged themselves, also drinking some kind of native liquor. Soon they were all more or less intoxicated. A specially chosen band then began to dance

THE BATTLE WON  
Confidence in your physician or the tonic that he may prescribe, is half the battle won. The consistent use of

**SCOTT'S EMULSION**  
always begets confidence in those who take it. Scott's is a tonic-nutrient recommended by physicians everywhere. Let SCOTT'S help you win your battle against weakness.

**KEMP'S BALSAM**  
Sleep? Does a dry cough keep you awake? KEMP'S BALSAM will stop the tickle that makes you cough. GUARANTEED.

still a moment ago, began to writhe and wrap themselves round and round her like evil snakes. Lastly the great leaves began to writhe, and then closed about the victim, crushing her with those terrible thorns. As these pressed more and more tightly together there trickled down the trunk a pinkish mixture, the intoxicating fluid from the tree, and the blood of the human sacrifice.

Then the feasting began again amidst much rejoicing. The devil was appeased.

## Brief Summary of Last Night's News

By Associated Press Licensed Wire

PARIS.—Promoters Millerand and Lloyd George have replied to President Wilson's note that the Adriatic compromise and hold to their position, which gives the Jugo-Slav government a choice between the compromise and execution of the treaty of London, says the Echo De Paris.

PARIS.—A memorandum from President Wilson in which he said he could not approve of Lloyd George's

## FOR ITCHING TORTURE

Use Antiseptic Liquid Zemo

There is one remedy that seldom fails to stop itching torture and relieve skin irritation and that makes the skin soft, clear and healthy.

Any druggist can supply you with Zemo, which generally overcomes skin diseases. Eczema, itch, pimples, rashes, blackheads, in most cases give way to Zemo. Frequently, minor blemishes disappear overnight. Itching usually stops instantly. Zemo is a safe, antiseptic liquid, clean, easy to use, and dependable. It costs only 35c; an extra large bottle, \$1.00. It will not stain, is not greasy or sticky and is positively safe for tender, sensitive skins.

The E. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.

## MRS. THOMAS' WORD TO WOMEN

Tell of the Great Good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Did For Her.

Morrice, Mich.—"About a year after my second baby was born I suffered with dizziness every morning so that I could hardly get around. I had heard from other women about your medicine and had read letters about it so I took it. I had heard from other women about your medicine and had read letters about it so I took it. I had heard from other women about your medicine and had read letters about it so I took it."

SLOW ruin is dangerous because its gradual progress is often unnoticed.

In the matter of paint and varnish the tendency is to put off and put off.

Perhaps our complete assortment of color charts, suggestions and samples will help you speed things along.

At least—let's talk it over!

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proposed settlement of the Adriatic settlement has been delivered to the French and British foreign offices, according to the Temps.

NEW YORK.—The American Manufacturer's Export Association has warned its members against trading with Soviet Russia.

MONTREAL.—E. F. Slack, president and organizer of the Canadian Press and general manager of the Montreal Gazette, is dead here.

WARSAW.—A heavy concentration of Bolshevik troops in reported at three points along the Polish frontier.

WASHINGTON.—Vice President Marshall announced his candidacy as a delegate at large from Indiana to the coming San Francisco convention upon "an old time, democratic platform."

PATERSON, N. J.—Twenty-nine radicals, said by Secret Service agents to be the most dangerous terrorists in the United States, were captured

## A CLEAR COMPLEXION

Ruddy Cheeks—Sparkling Eyes—Most Women Can Have

Says Dr. Edwards, a Well-Known Ohio Physician

Dr. F. M. Edwards for 17 years treated scores of women for liver and bowel ailments. During these years he gave to his patients a prescription made of a few well-known vegetable ingredients mixed with olive oil, naming them Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. You will know them by their olive color.

These tablets are wonder-workers on the liver and bowels, which cause a normal action, carrying off the waste and poisonous matter in one's system.

If you have a pale face, yellow look, dull eyes, pimples, coated tongue, headaches, a listless, no-good feeling, all out of sorts, inactive bowels, you take one of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets nightly for a time and note the pleasing results. Thousands of women and men take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the successful substitute for calomel—now and then just to keep them fit. 10c and 25c.

Don't give it a chance to "set in"—use Dr. King's New Discovery

## CHEST CLOGGED UP WITH HEAVY COLD?

THAT dangerous stage where a cold or cough or case of grippé might get the better of you may be nearer than you think. Prompt action with Dr. King's New Discovery will avert a long siege.

For fifty years it has loosened congested chests, dissipated tight-packed phlegm, broken vicious colds and coughs. Give it to the youngsters—take it yourself. There will be no disagreeable after-effects. 60c and \$1.20 a bottle. At your druggist's. Give it a trial.

## BOWELS BECOME NORMAL

—liver lives up, bile flows freely—headache, biliousness, tongue-fur, stomach-sourness, disappear when Dr. King's New Life Pills get in their natural, comfortable action.

Purgatives, never pleasantly corrective, sometimes habit-forming, should not be taken to rack the system violently. Nature's way is the way of Dr. King's New Life Pills—gently but firmly functioning the bowels, eliminating the in-the-clogging waste, and promoting the most gratifying results. Cleanse the system with them and know the boon of regular bowels. 25c at all druggists.

## EATONIC

(FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH)

How can anyone with a sour, gassy stomach, who is constantly belching, heartburn and suffers from indigestion have anything but a bad breath? All of these stomach disorders mean just one thing—ACID-STOMACH.

EATONIC, the wonderful new stomach remedy in pleasant tablet form that you eat like a bit of candy, brings quick relief from these stomach miseries. EATONIC breaks the break because it makes the stomach sweet, cool and comfortable. Try it for that nasty taste, congested throat and "bad feeling" after too much smoking.

If neglected, ACID-STOMACH may cause you a lot of serious trouble. It leads to nervous headaches, insomnia, melancholia, rheumatism, eczema, heart trouble, ulcer and cancer of the stomach. It makes the millions of victims weak and miserable, lacking in energy, all tired out. It often brings about chronic invalidism, premature old age, shortening of one's days.

You need the help that EATONIC can give you if you are not feeling as strong and well as you should. You will be surprised to see how much better you will feel just as soon as you begin taking this wonderful stomach remedy. Get a big 50 cent box from your druggist today. He will return your money if you are not satisfied.

## CLOSING OUT SALE

Having decided to dissolve partnership, the undersigned will offer, without reserve whatsoever, the following described property, at what is known as the Lee Book farm, one mile south of Prairieville, five miles east of Sterling, seven miles west of Dixon, on the River Road

## TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24th

1920, the following described property, to-wit:

### 7 HEAD OF HORSES

One brown mare, 7 years old, wt. 1300 lbs.; one black mare coming 3 years old, broken, wt. 1100; one gray gelding, family broke; one bay driving team, 10 and 12 years old, weight 2100; one black mare 12 yrs. old, wt. 1500; one sucking colt.

### 37 HEAD OF CATTLE

Among these are some high grade Holsteins. One registered Holstein bull, 4 years old, a good one; one registered Holstein cow, bred to Rag Apple Kordyke the Eighth; 14 head of cows, some fresh, others to be by day of sale; 9 head of 2-year-old Holstein heifers; 6 head of one-year-old Holstein heifers; 5 head of spring Holstein heifers and two calves.

### 35 HEAD OF HOGS

Among these are ten head of red brood sows.

### Chickens—About 100 Red Chickens.

### FARM MACHINERY

Two wagons, one Peter Schuttler, wide tire box wagon, new; one narrow tire, running gear wagon; one spring wagon; one pole, two buggies, one rubber tire with storm front, one registered Holstein cow, bred to Rag Apple Kordyke the Eighth; 14 head of cows, some fresh, others to be by day of sale; 9 head of 2-year-old Holstein heifers; 6 head of one-year-old Holstein heifers; 5 head of spring Holstein heifers and two calves.

Free lunch at 11 o'clock, served by Fuls Bros. Sale to commence immediately after

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash. On all sums over \$10.00 a credit of 9 months will be given to purchaser giving good bankable note with approved security bearing interest at the rate of 7 per cent from date of sale. No property to be removed until settled for.

Ira Rutt, Auctioneer. Clifford Gray, Clerk. W. A. SCHULER. E. I. SHAWGER.

## Closing Out Sale

The undersigned will hold a Closing Out Sale at the farm 3 1/4 miles east of Dixon, 1/4 mile south of the Fred Hill corner on

## TUESDAY, FEB. 24, 1920

The following described property:

### 10 HEAD HORSES AND COLTS

One black mare four years old; one gray mare seven years old; one gray horse six years old; one black horse 13 years old; one bay horse 13 years old; one broad mare 14 years old; one colt three years old; one bay colt two years old; one black colt two years old; one yearling colt.

### 31 HEAD OF HOGS

19 pure bred Duroc Jersey brood sows, due to farrow last of March and April; 10 pure bred gilts; one stock hog from Phillips Bros. herd; 10 fall pigs.

### FARM MACHINERY

Three lumber wagons, three inch tires; one rack and truck wagon; one spring wagon; one 2 1/2 h. p. Fairbanks-Morse engine; one Viking cream separator; one P. & O. corn planter; one Deering mower; one Sterling seeder; one Moline walking plow; No. 14 Ohio silage cutter, with blow pipe complete and in good working order; one 8-ft. McCormick grain binder; one Acme corn binder; one four-section drag; one two-section drag; one Tower surface cultivator; one Deering cultivator; one walking cultivator; one disc; one roller; one Clover Leaf manure spreader; one sled; four sets work harness; eight horse collars; 140 ft. new hay rope; 100 ft. hay rope; one top buggy; one cutter; one tank heater; 8 milk cans; six self feeders; one individual hog house.

TERMS—All sums of \$10 and under, cash. On all sums over \$10 a credit of 12 months will be given to purchaser giving good bankable note with approved security bearing interest at the rate of 7 per cent from date of sale. No property to be removed until settled for.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock. Free lunch at noon, served by Fuls Bros. Stand rights taken.

GEORGE FRUIN, Auctioneer.

## DR. C. H. IVES & SON

## PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will hold a Public Sale 1/4 mile north of Sterling on the Stock road, 1/2 mile north of Sterling Lincoln school on

## WEDNESDAY, FEB. 18

Free lunch at 11 o'clock—Sale immediately after. Come and eat with us.

### 26—Head of Draft Horses—26

These horses are all good ones and sound. 1 bay gelding 5 years old, wt. 1700; 1 dark grey gelding 4 years old, wt. 1650; 1 team brown mares 4 and 8 years old, wt. 3100; 1 team bay geldings, wt. 2900, 5 years old; 1 bay team, mare and gelding, 6 years old, wt. 2650; 1 bay gelding 4 years old, wt. 1550; 1 dark gray mare 6 years old, wt. 1400; 1 black mare 7 years old, wt. 1400; 1 black gelding 4 years old, wt. 1350; 1 black mare 4 years old, wt. 1400; 1 bay gelding 4 years old, wt. 1300; 1 bay gelding 7 years old, wt. 1350; 1 roan gelding 4 years old, wt. 1300; 1 brown gelding 5 years old, wt. 1350; 1 black mare 4 years old, wt. 1150; 1 yearling mare 5 years old, wt. 1150; 1 gray mare 5 years old, in foal, wt. 1100; 1 black mare 7 years old, wt. 1050; 1 dark gray gelding 4 years old, wt. 1100; 1 bay mare 6 years old, broke single and double, wt. 1100; 1 bay mare 3 years old, wt. 950; 2 colts coming 3, wt. 1100.

### 12—Pure Bred Duroc Jersey Brood Sows—12

All eligible to registry. The best of blood lines. Some bred to an 800 pound boar, the rest to Becker's Orion Cherry King.

### 12—Head of Cattle—12

7 head Holstein cows, 1 good fresh Holstein cow; 4 yearling heifers; 1 high grade Holstein bull 1 year old.

### Farm Machinery

1 wagon; 1 Emerson gang plow; 1 Best Ever sulky plow; 1 Bud-long disc; 1 surface pulverizer; 1 riding corn plow; 1 hand corn sheller; 1 breaking cart; 1 heavy spring wagon running gear; 1 top buggy; 1 set of good work harness; 1 heavy double driving harness; 1 set light driving harness; 2 single driving harness; a few good collars; other articles too numerous to mention.

4 Single Comb Rhode Island Red Cockerels

USUAL TERMS—One year's time at 6% if paid when due. If not so paid 7% will be charged from date of sale.

A. R. LANDIS J. C. BECKER

WARD CROM, Auct. FRED B. FRERICH, Clerk.

## Closing Out Sale

The undersigned intending to quit farming, will hold a closing out sale at his place of residence, known as the Bosworth farm, on the Colony grounds, three blocks east of North Dixon depot

## Wednesday, Feb. 18th

the following property:

### 6 HEAD OF HORSES

One span of black mares 10 and 12 years old, wt. 1400; one span of iron gray geldings 4 and 8 years old, wt. 1300; one iron gray gelding, broke single and double, good driver 8 years old, wt. 1200; one black gelding, broke single and double, good family driver, 10 years old, wt. 1200.

### 45 HEAD OF CATTLE

17 good milk cows; 20 head of 2-year-old heifers; 7 head of 2-year-old steers; 1 bull.

### 10 HEAD OF HOGS

Three fat sows; seven head last fall shoats.

### FARM MACHINERY

8-roll shredder, McCormick; 16x20 Sandwich hay press; 12-20 Emerson tractor; Fairbanks feed grinder, No. 2; Stover feed grinder, No. 10; power buzz saw, hand and power; John corn sheller; one h. p. I. N. engine. Deering 8-ft. grain binder; 2-hole corn binder; Superior grain drill; Great Western manure spreader; Northwestern corrugated grain drill; Perfection straw spreader, new; binder hitch for tractor; 3-bottom Deere tractor plow, one Deere 10-ft. tractor disc; two triple box lumber wagons; 3 truck wagons, low down; 2 good one-man 16-ft. hay racks; one good milk wagon, holds 10 cans; one side-delivery rake, new; 12-ft. hay rake; 5-ft. McCormick mower; John Deere gang plow; Grand Detour 16-in. walking plow; 7-ft. Deere disc; 10-ft. seeder, new; John Deere riding corn plow; Grand Detour riding corn plow; 3-section harrow; harrow cart; tower surface corn plow; Emerson walking corn plow; one old walking corn plow; Hayes 4-wheel corn planter with drilling attachment, 80 rods wire; Keystone potato planter; one rubber tired top buggy; 30 ft. of hay track with car; about 100 ft. hay rope; hay fork, 50-gal. gasoline tank; 50-gal. kerosene tank; 30-gal. oil tank; two sets single fly nets; one set heavy single harness; 50 ft. endless 7-in. drive belt; 25 ft. 5-in. belt; good row boat with oars; good 20-ft. ladder; new 8-ft. stock tank; Sterling tank heater; 600 lb. platform scales; milk cart; six milk cans; chicken coops; scoop boards; forks; shovels; horse collars; 99 other articles, too numerous to mention. 450 bushels corn in crib; 10 tons clover hay; some timothy hay.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock. Free lunch at noon, served by Fuls Bros.

TERMS—All sums of \$10 and under, cash. On all sums over that amount a credit of 12 months will be given to purchaser giving good bankable note with approved security bearing interest at the rate of 7 per cent interest from date.

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FOR SALE—Rawleigh's Good Health Products, Medicines, spices, extracts, flavors, soaps, toilet articles, dentifrices, polishes, stock and poultry disinfectant, etc. Mail orders solicited. C. A. Bryan, Dixon, Ill. 723 B Morgan Street. Phone K641. 271mo

FOR SALE—My 8-room house, lot 80 x150, two blocks east of business section, Ambly, Ill. Price reasonable. If sold within 10 days, Mrs. Margaret Conley, 602 Third St., Phone K532. 2981\*

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FOR SALE—A 6 room house with well and electric, moderate price close in. J. D. Patrick, 119 North Peoria Ave., Dixon. 383pd.

FOR SALE—Two lots one 24x60, the other 36x90, or both together making 59 ft. frontage, across the street from Dixon Steam Laundry. See F. N. Newcomer Co. 3812\*

FOR SALE—Six Rose Comb Rhode Island Red Cockerels at \$1.75 each. A. T. Keithley & Son. Phone Y393. 3813\*

FOR SALE—Two mahogany music cabinets and one mahogany piano bench. Phone K 569 or call at 208 N. Dixon Ave. 3814

FOR SALE—5 room Pebble Dash house with three lots, 1 1/2 miles from town on west Third Street. Phone K 1190. 3813 pd.

FOR SALE—6 Japanese Silken cockerels at a bargain. These are fine show birds. 222 W. First St., upstairs or at Singer office, next door. 341\*

FOR SALE—One Fairbanks-Morse wagon scale, 5 ton capacity. All condition. A bargain if taken immediately. Phone 552. 3713

FOR SALE—Holekold furniture including good clock stove to be sold within 10 days. Phone K646 or call at 215 W. Chamberlain St. 3713\*

FOR SALE—20 thoroughbred White Wyandotte Cockerels. Phone or write Village View Farm, Compton, Ill. 3516\*

FOR SALE—Calling cards, either printed or engraved, in perfect condition. Please bring your cards to us for renewal. B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co. 151\*

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Everything in household goods, stoves and ranges. Telephone 297 or call 324 West First street. 1951\*

FOR SALE—Chickering Bros' piano, used very little. In perfect condition. Mrs. Rustace Shaw, Bluff Park. Telephone 992. 1291\*

FOR SALE—Very complete play house for children. Furnished or unfurnished. Hand made furniture. Inquire of Genevieve Simonson, 215 Peoria Ave. 3712

FOR SALE—One Durrer giant disc sharpener with engine disc and rolling attachment. In No. 1 condition. F. L. Eicholtz, 306 E. River St., Dixon. 3716\*

FOR SALE—Two nice building lots, size 100x220 each. On Long Ave. John Gott. 3716\*

FOR SALE—Holstein cow with calf by side. E. A. Roberts, R. 6, Ambly, Ill. 3716\*

FOR SALE—Choice White Rock cockerels. H. E. McCleary. Phone W2. 3713\*

FOR SALE—Some loose hay and straw. Phone 2110. Jacob Alber, Dixon, Ill. A. 7. 361\*

FOR SALE—Heato, by all druggists, the very best foot powder on the market. 151\*

FOR SALE—8-room modern house, hot water heat, slate roof, at Ottawa Ave. and Bradshaw, \$3500. 2961\*

FOR SALE—Nurses' record sheets. B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co., Dixon, Ill. 151\*

FOR SALE—Slightly used gas range. Call at 626 W. 2nd St. 3813

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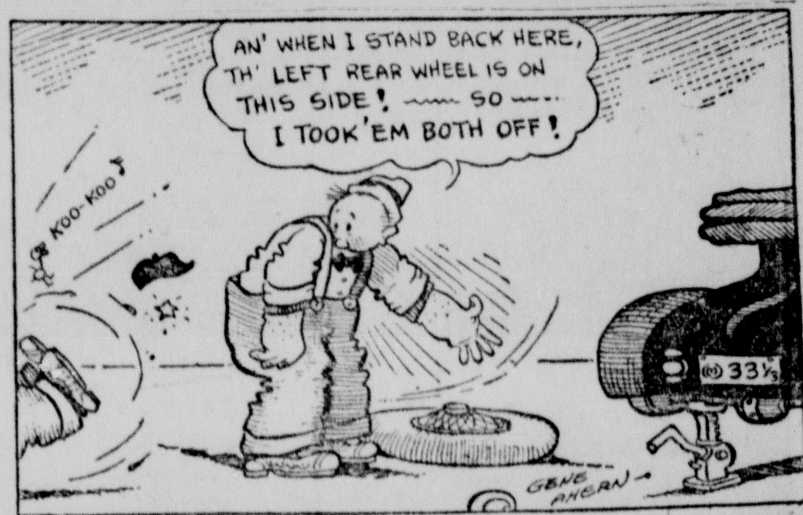
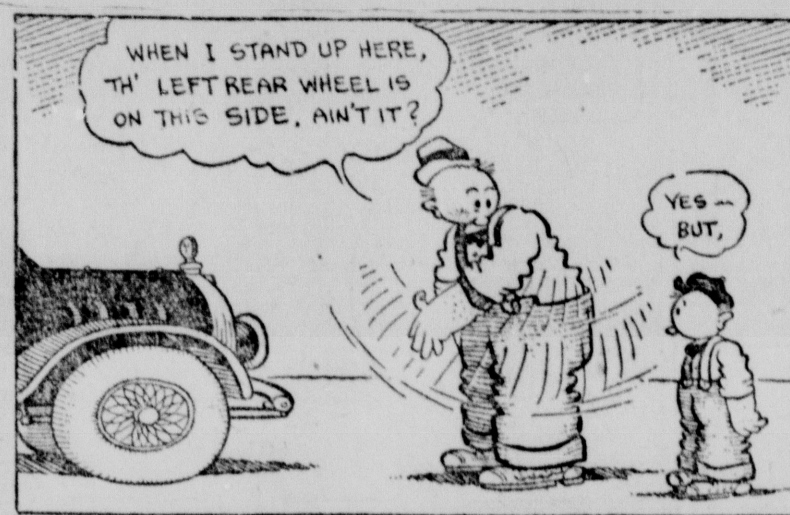
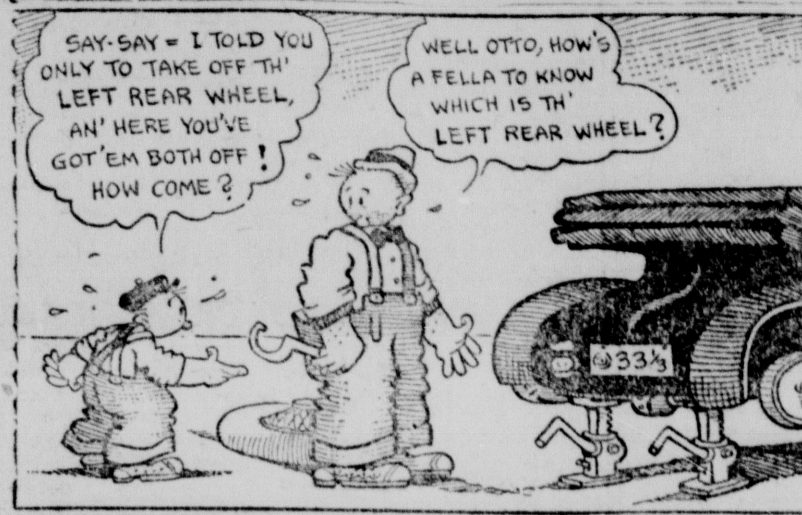
## WANTED.

WANTED—We are paying highest prices for all kinds of junk, hides, wool, and old automobiles. Get our prices before you sell. We call for orders promptly and guarantee satisfaction. Snow & Wienman. Phone 81. River St. 741\*

WANTED—1000 horses. I will pay the highest prices for all worn out or crippled horses. All dead animals with hides on removed free of charge. Peter McCoy, Dixon Rendering Works. 29145\*

WANTED—Subscribers to look at the little yellow tag on their Telegraph and if in arrears please send checks, P. O. order or draft to the Dixon Evening Telegraph. 151\*

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## LOST.

LOST—Wednesday evening on Third street, medium size black leather purse containing change. In inside pocket of bag three \$1 bills and a \$5 bill. Also small wrist watch. Liberal reward if left at Telegraph office. 3713

## LEGAL PUBLICATIONS.

## CHICAGO AND NORTH WESTERN RAILWAY COMPANY

Notice is hereby given that a Special Meeting of the Stockholders of the Chicago and North Western Railway Company, duly called by its Board of Directors, and the Annual Meeting of said Stockholders, will be held at the General Offices of the Company, at No. 226 West Jackson Boulevard, in the City of Chicago, Illinois, on Tuesday, the 15th day of April, 1920, at 11:00 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of considering and deciding: (1) Whether the Stockholders of the Company will concur in and authorize the creation of a bonded indebtedness, by the issue, at such times and in such amounts as from time to time its Board of Directors or Executive Committee may determine, of bonds, payable in gold coin of the United States of America or of equal to the present standard of weight and fineness, and limited so that the amount thereof at any one time outstanding, together with all outstanding prior debt of the Railway Company, after deducting therefrom the amount of all bonds reserved to retire prior debt at or before maturity, shall not exceed three times the outstanding capital stock of the Company, or of a successor corporation, maturing May 1, A. D. 2037, and bearing a rate of interest not exceeding the lawful rate, to be determined by the Board of Directors or Executive Committee at the time of issue, payable semi-annually, and the execution and delivery by the Company of a First and Refunding Gold Bond Mortgage to Trustees to be designated by the Board of Directors, dated May 1, 1920, conveying in trust the corporate property and franchises described therein, to secure the payment of all such bonds; (2) Whether the Company will authorize the issuance of bonds for the purpose of purchasing, redeeming or refunding, before, at or after maturity, the outstanding obligations of the Company, and of other companies whose properties now are or hereafter shall be owned or acquired by the Chicago and North Western Railway Company by consolidation, purchase or otherwise, for the purpose of the future enlargement, improvement, extension and equipment of the properties of the Company and of such other companies; for the construction, purchase or acquisition of other railways and property, or for the purpose of reimbursing the Company for moneys which at any time may be expended for the purpose of any of the purposes aforesaid; and will approve such mortgage in the form to be submitted at said meeting, and will ratify the action of its Board of Directors authorizing the creation of such indebtedness, and the execution of such mortgage; and (3) Whether the Stockholders of the Company will authorize the borrowing of all the property, including all franchises, rights, privileges and immunities pertaining thereto and all appurtenances thereof whatsoever, of each of the following named proprietary companies: Wolf River Valley Railway Company.

## Belle Fourche Valley Railway Company

James River Valley and North Western Railway Company. Macoupin County Extension Railway Company.

Missouri Valley and Blair Railway and Bridge Company. Wyoming & Northwestern Railway Company.

Pierre, Rapid City and North Western Railway Company. Pierre and Fort Pierre Bridge Railway Company.

The De Pue, Ladd and Eastern Railroad Company, and The Albany Rail Road Bridge Company.

In consideration of the payment to each of said companies of the sum of One Dollar, and the assumption by this Company of all the debts, liabilities and obligations of each of said companies; and will ratify the action of its Board of Directors authorizing such purchases upon such terms and conditions.

The further purpose of said meeting will be the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting.

Transfer books will be closed on Friday, March 12, 1920, at the close of business on that day and will be reopened on Wednesday, April 14, 1920. By order of the Board of Directors. Dated: Chicago, Illinois, January 21, 1920.

WILLIAM H. FINLEY, President. JOHN D. CALDWELL, Secretary. 27163

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Lot Fourteen in Block One, in Bailey's Addition to Amboy, in Lee County, Illinois, taxed in the name of J. E. Warren and that time of redemption from said sale will expire on June 10, A. D. 1920.

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H. C. WARNER. Feb. 2-9-16

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Startling Facts Made Known at Conference Today.

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Chicago—House shortage throughout the country has become so acute that between one million and two million homes are needed to take care of the population, according to speakers at the National Conference on Concrete Housing Construction, which opened a three day session here today.

The conference was called especially to deal with the shortage of homes which has increased rentals by leaps and bounds. Speakers declared that almost everywhere the newcomer was unable to find a home for his family and that as a result, industrial concerns in many cities are laying out subdivisions and building homes for their employees, but that only the universal resumption of activities with concentration on home building will bring about a solution.

The conference is participated in by contractors, architects, manufacturers, building associations, town planners, fire direction engineers and public officials from all parts of the country. More than a score of national organizations are co-operating in the conference including the American Concrete Institute, the Building Officials Committee and the Associated General Contractors of America.

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Galveston, Texas—Angling for invitations to dine aboard foreign owned and manned vessels entering port here is once more the popular pastime of certain Galvestonians, following a decision received by Collector of the Port Fred C. Paist from the treasury department in Washington to the effect that enough "wet" goods be left unsealed for use of officers and crews of foreign ships while inside the three mile limit. The ruling, it is taken also supplies the guests aboard ships in the harbor.

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all carry the red wine of Spain and Italy for rationing out to officers and men. Under a previous ruling of the treasury department, this stock of ship's wine was placed under lock and key while the vessel remained inside the three-mile limit. Representations by foreign governments, however, caused a reversal of the decision. It was pointed out that shipping agents would be unable to get crews for vessels coming to the United States if such a course was persisted in. The wine, it was said, was considered a part of the food allowance.

Sentenced Man's Plea is Denied

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Springfield, Ill., Feb. 14.—The supreme court denied today a petition for a writ of supercedas in the case of John O'Brien of Chicago who is

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under sentence to hang next Friday for the murder of Richard Burke, a police inspector.

Attorneys for O'Brien asked the state board of pardons and paroles to intervene in the case and a hearing will be held at Joliet next Tuesday.

The court heard arguments in behalf of Arthur Haensel of Chicago who was convicted of murdering his wife and sentenced to be hung. A decision will probably not be rendered until the next term of court.

A girl clerk in the Bureau of War Risk Insurance finds from the card index files of Uncle Sam's fighters that the name "Aloysius" is spelled 49 different ways and "Ignatz" in 18 ways.

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Says Ships to Be Sold By U. S. Are Worth 215 Million

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Chicago, Feb. 14.—Major John D. Devers, York, formerly naval architect of the shipping board who appraised the German Shipping in American harbors shortly before the United States entered the war declared here today that the thirty former German liners which the shipping board is offering for sale were valued at \$215,000,000.

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merchant fleet of the world" Major York said.

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Denatured Alcohol is Also Poisonous, Says Expert.

By Associated Press Leased Wire  
Chicago—Warning of the danger of using internally or externally any preparation of which wood alcohol is a part is made by the Industrial Research Laboratories of Chicago in a current bulletin.

"We advocate the elimination of public sale of wood alcohol," says the bulletin, "and the strict regulation in industries where its use is desired."

"Wood alcohol has been sold promiscuously in the past and the general public has never learned just what the difference is between wood alcohol, grain alcohol and denatured alcohol."

"Grain alcohol," says the bulletin, "is made from fermentable material, corn, wheat and starch by distillation. Denatured alcohol is grain alcohol treated with some product which makes it impossible to use it for beverage purposes. The ordinary denatured alcohol sold today is denatured with wood alcohol which is very poisonous and dangerous."

"Wood alcohol is made from wood waste which is placed into distilling apparatus and a process called dry distillation is used which gives, in addition to the wood alcohol, several by-products and charcoal. Several preparations having wood alcohol in them have come to our laboratories for examination. It is possible that the manufacturers have been in effect of knowledge of the deadly effect of wood alcohol in preparations for internal and external use. Wood alcohol applied to the skin or scalp is absorbed by the tissues and has produced blindness, paralysis and insanity. The most dangerous preparations we have come in contact with are toilet articles used in barber shops. We warn our clients, that they may warn their friends against hidden dangers lurking in the use of toilet articles that have been

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**ROBBERS GET \$11,000**  
By Associated Press Leased Wire  
St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 14.—Two men entered the offices of the Eubank Appliance Co., here today, covered the office force with revolvers, rifled the safe of \$11,000 and escaped. The police have an accurate description of the robbers.

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